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Jan. 28, Danube, Brit. str., 561, Hopkins, Bangkok 15th Jan., General.—Tack-mee. Jan. 28, Formosa, Span. str., 350, Morales, Amoy 26th January, General.—Reme-	Banks. COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS. I NOORPORATED by National Decrees of Adolph J. The interest L.	NOTICE. Auction PUBLIC AUC PUBLIC AUC	CANTON-MADE ANE, CRAWF RD & Co. beg to an that they have received instruction, on or about GRAND PIANO, February, 1874. (if not previously dispose FFICE FURNI. PUBLIC AUCTION. ANE, CRAWF RD & Co. beg to an that they have received instruction on or about February, 1874. (if not previously dispose FFICE FURNI.	noounce tions to L holders of the Hondreng Hotel Pany, Limited, will be held at the Hondreng Hotel, To.DAY, the 29th January, 18 3.30 p.m. The Transfer Books of the Company w	J. Entwisle, Master, will be despatched above port TO-DAY, the 29th inst., at For Freight or Passage, apply to

PHANT & Co. Departures.

General .- Arnhold, Karbers & Co.

Jan. 28, Acantha, str., for Canton. Jan. 28, U.S. cor. MONOCAGE, for a Cruise. Jan. 28, Meneraus, str., for Singapore and

> **Clearances** AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, JANUARY 28TH.

Huidee, for Manila. Tay Watt, for Bangkok. Lan-tele, str., for Swatow Fortune, for Bangkok. Lucre, for Bangkok... Les-yuen, str., for Canton.

Menelaus, str., for Singapore and London. Passengers.

Per Danube, etr., from Bangkok:-Per Formosa, str., from Amoy :-

Per Tay Watt, for Bangkok :-20 Chinese. Per Laptek, etr., for Swatow:-2 Oubin and 250 Ohinese. Per For une, for Bangkok :-20 Chinese. Per Lucre, for Bangkok :-

1 European and 17 Chinese.

Per Thales, str., from Shanghai : -

20 Ohinese Per Menclaus, str., for Singapore, &c.:or, and Mrs. Lister and child, 2 distressed seamen, and 20 Chinese,

The Spanish steamship Formosa reports left Amoy on 26th January, had fresh monsoon throughout.

The British steamship Danube reports' left Bangkok on 15th January, had strong mon-

The British steamship Thales reports left Shanghai on 25th January, had moderate monsoon and overcast and cloudy weather throughout the passage.

The American bark Adelia Carlton reports left New York on 16th August, had the seventh days, out a harrisane from S.E., rounding to N.W., lusting twelve hours: had then fine westher to the Equator, crossed on 43rd day out had S.E. trades to the Cape of Good Hope, 84 days out; made St. Paul's in 20 more days; thence had strong Westerly winds from thence to the Bandasen, 22 days, ball moderate S.E. trades; from thence, 36 days to arrival, variable winds and squally. In the Gillolo Passage, spoke the bark James Vinnecomb, 13 days, from Macassar to Philippine Islands, on business transacted. the 80th December.

Vessels Expected at Hongkong. (Corrected to Date.)

	Yossel's Name.	From	1. Date	8.
	Civialo	Hamburg	Sept.	5
,	Gryfe	Loudon	Supt.	18
	Ingeburg	Cardiff	Sept.	22
	Peter.	Cardiff	Sept.	25
,	Hydra			27
	Elise	Cardiff	Oct.	8
	M. A. Holman	Cardiff	Oot.	13
	Radama	Cardiff	Oct.	20
	Leвтопн	Cardiff	Oct	24
	Observed Queen.	Ourdiff	Oct.	28
	Palma	Hamburg	Nov.	1
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	Fidelia	Bergen	Nov.	. 5
	Derwent	,:, London	NOV.	18
	Antipodes	Cardiff	Nov.	19
	Canton (s) Priam (s) Batavia	London	Nov.	29
	Priam (e)	Liverpool	Dec.	1
ì	Batavia	Hamburg	Dec.	2
	Johnne	Cardiff		8
	Kate Carnie			.3
	Glenartuey (a)	London	Dec.	12
	Antenor (8)	Liverpook	Dec.	13
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Auction Sales fo-day.

LANE. ORAWFORD & Co., At 12 moon, Household Furniture, &c. ? M. ARMSTRONG, Sundry Goods, &c.

BHARP & Co., At 2.30 P.M., Bank, Insurance, and other Shares.

NOTICE.

TO OWNERS OF PROPERTY IN HONGKONG, ABSENTER AND RESIDENT.

BARRINGTON & ALGAR HOUSE AGENTS

VALUATORS 9. Hollywood Road, Hongkong.

DARBINGTON & ALGAR having had D years' experience in the above business, undertake the personal Collection of Rents effecting Repairs, and General Management of House Property, at a moderate rate of Commission. Valuations, &c., made. REFERENCES. Security if required. 1470 Hongkong, September, 1873.

NOTIOE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against Fire in the above Com-

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company. tf 1617 Hongkong, 1st October, 1873. QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

ROM and after this date, and until further P notice, a Discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon current local rates of Premia, will be returned on Insurances against fire, effected

with this Office. EDWARD NORTON & Co., Agents. tf 1174 25th June, 1872.

THE OHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG. GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China and Japan, and at Singapore, Suigon and Penang. Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at the CTEAMERS leaving this port requiring above-mentioned Ports. No charge for Policy fees.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. Hongkong, 1st November, 1871.

Washburn, New York 16th August, France. & Sterling. the firm. PAID-UP CAPITAL.....80,000,000 3,200,000 Jan. 28, Thanes, British str., 775, Young, RESERVE FUND......20,000,000 Shanghai 25th January, General.—OLY-HEAD OFFICE.-14, Rue Bergore, Paris.

LONDON AGENCY.-144 Leadenball Street, Agencies At Nantes Lyons Marseilles Ronbaix, Brussels, Alexandria, Bombay, Calcutta, Hongkong, Shanghai, Saigon, Saint Denie (He de la Réunion,) and Yokohama.

London Bankers—Union Bank of London

Hongkong Agenoy. Interest Allowed On current deposit accounts at the rate of 2 % per annum on the mouthly minimum bas lances; 24 % subject to 15 days notice of with: 1VI admitted a partner in our Firm in Hong. drawal; and 3 % subject to one month's notice. | kong and China on the lat instant. On Fixed Deposits :

For 8 months 3 % per annum. A. PHILIPPE. Acting Manager. Offices in Hongkong : Bunk Buildings, Queen's Road.

876 Hongkong, 2hl June, 1873. THE ANGLO CALIFORNIAN BANK (LIMITED.) 112, Cal'a St., San Francisco, California London Office 3, Angel Court.

New York Agents, J. & W. SELIGHAN & Co., 21 Broad Street. AUTHORIZED CAPITAL STOCK\$6,000,000.

WILL receive Deposits, open Accounts, make Collections, buy and sell Exchange and Bullion, loan Money, and issue Letters of Oredit available-throughout the world. R. G. SNEATH, IGN. STEINHART, Managers.

y 18877 HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION. PAID-UP CAPITAL 5,000,000 of Dollars RESERVE FUND......1,000,000 of Dollars

Court of Directors:-Chairman-S. D. BASSOON, Esq. Deputy Chairman-W. H. Forbes, Esq. Wm. Lemann, Keq. Thos. Pyke, Esq. A. F. Heard, Esq. Hon, R. Howett. , Joost, Esq. Chief Manager. Hongkong-James Greig, Eisq.,

Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Esq. London Bankers-London and County Bank. HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent, per annum on the daily belance: On Fixed Deposits:-For 3 months 2 percent, per annum

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Oradita granted on approved Sconnitics, and every description of Banking and Exchange Drafts-granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,

America, China and Japan. JAMES GREIG, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation. No. 1. Queen's Road East. tf 10621 Hongkong, 22ad October, 1873.

TO LET. GRANITE GODOWN, fronting on the Praya, at Wanchi. Apply to S. E. BURROWS & SONS. tf 115- Hongkong, 19th January, 1874. TO LET

THE HOUSE No. 1 at Mosque Terrace The GODOWN No. 1 at Rice Mills, Wel. Point. Apply to G. VON OVERBECK. 8. Pedder's Hill. tf 116 Hongkong, 19th Fannary, 1874.

THE Fine and Commodious HOUSE, No. 4 Chancery Lane: Water laid on. Apply to M. A. COLLACO,

2. Chancery Lane. f 95 Hongkong, 15th January, 1874. INHE "FOREST LODGE," situated in Caino The HOUSE formerly occupied by Hon. Justice PAUNCEFOTE.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. tf 67 Hongkong, 10th January, 1874.

TO LET. With Possession on the 1st of March. THE Business PREMISES and Dwelling I HOUSE on Queen's Road, at present in the occupation of Messrs, LAMMERT, ATKINSON

& Co. Apply to ROBT. S. WALKER & Co. tf 41 Hongkong, 6th January, 1874. With immediate possession.

COMMODIOUS HOUSE, with 9 Rooms Gas and Water laid op, in a respectable locality, Hollywood Road.

Three Comfortable ROOMS, furnished, if required. Apply to No. 12, HOLLY WOOD ROAD. tf 35 Hongkong, 5th January, 1874. TO LET. DEMONT LODGE, at present in the oc-

cupation of W. V. DRUMMOND, Esq. Possession from 1st February next. tf 26 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1874.

G. FALCONER. TO LET.

TT OUSES Nos. 14 and 20, Wyndham Street. Apply to J. A. DE CARVALHO. Im 13 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1874. ATO: 10. UPPER MOSQUE TERRACE, CORNER HOUSE, with good view

Four Rooms, Bath and Dressing Rooms, Outpany at current rates, subject to a discount of Houses, &c. Water and Gas laid on.
20 per cent.

Also, No. 9, in the same Terrace. T. G. LINSTEAD.

tf 1627 Hongkong, 8th December, 1873. TO LET, With Possession on 1st October. TO, 14, Shelley Street, containing Eight

ROOMS. Rent, \$40 per month. Apply to RAWLING, MEDLEN & Co., tf 1439 Hongkong, 2nd September, 1873.

TOSITIVE GOVERNMENT SECURIUM LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHAS. H. MORGAN, Jy 966 Hougkong, 18th June, 1873.

W. G. HALE & Co., ti 1561 16th September, 1878.

Mr. Gustav Peress is authorised to sign SIEMSSEN & Co. 64d 158 Hongkong, 28th January, 1874. THE interest and responsibility of Mr. Por CHIN Soo, in our firm, ceased on the 28th

January, 1873. YUEN FAT HONG. 1m 156 Hongkong, 26th January, 1874. Fin E interest and responsibility of Mr. Dun-CAN DAVIDSON, in our firm, ceased on the 30th June lust. Mr. DAVID ADDISON DARLING is authorized

BROWN & Co. 1m 111 Amoy, 9th January, 1874. NAR. CHARLES JAMES HOLLIDAY was

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. 1m 85 Hongkong, January, 1874. NOTICE. AAR. WM. REINERS has this duy been ad-IVI : pritted a partner in our firm. MELCHERS & Co.

3m 3 Hongkong, 1st Junnury, 1874. NOTIOE. ... I R. LOUIS MENDEL bas this day been Vig admitted a partner in our firm in Hougkong and Canton. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

1m. 4 Hongkong, 1st January, 1874.

MR. H. KIÆR retires from our firm this day. HEINEMANN & Co. 1m 21 Hongkong, 31st December, 187.1. HAVE Established myself at this port as Merchant and Commission Agent. H. KLÆR

1m 22 Hongkong, 1st January, 1874. AR FREDERICK DAVID SASSOON M has this day been admitted a partner in our Firms in Chion. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. 1m 20 Hongkong, 1st January, 1874.

NOTICE. N and after this date, the Shipwright Busi-I ness beretofore conducted under the name of J. McDonald & Co., will be carried on by B. STANFORD

the undereigned in his own name. 1m. 5 Hongkong, 1st January, 1874. FIGHE business hitherto conducted in my name will henceforth be carried on under the

KRUBE & Co.. and Mr. H. KUHLMANN is authorized to sign J. C. KRUSE 1m 6. Hongkong, 1st January, 1874. HH business hitberto conducted at this port under the name of OBCAB STAMMANN, will from this dute the carried on by Mr EDUARD MEYER, under the style und firm of E. MEYER & Co. Mr. O. GRABE is duly authorized to eign the

firm per procuration. EDUARD MEYER. tf 23 Tientsin, 1st January, 1874. THE interest and responsibility of Mr. JAMES | Day G. CASWELL in our firm, ceased on 31st

ultimo, by lapse of time. DETMERING use this day admitted partners in chasers' risk on the fall of the hammer. WM. G. HALE & Co. 1m 7 Saigon, 1st January, 1874.

NOTI E.

THE Co-partnership beretofore existing Hougkong and China between W. J. the 29th January, 1874, at noon, at his Sales BLYDENBURGE, 'GEORGE HURLBUT, S. E. Rooms Onesn's Road. HUNTINGTON, and J. U. HEITMANN, under the name and Firm of SMITH, ARCHER & Co., is this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent. Either partner will sign the name of the Firm in Liquidation. SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

3m 24 Hongkoug, 1st January, 1874. AMR. JAMES HART is authorized to sign.

IVI our firm, in Hongkong and China, from this date. TURNER & Co. tf 2096 Shangbai, 15th December, 1873. ROM and after 1st January, 1874, the busi ness of the undersigned will be incorporated, and curried on under the name and style of "NEWMAN & Co."

WALTER NEWMAN: JOHN GITTINS. tf 1704 Focchow, 11th October, 1873. BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. THE Undersigned baying been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows :-

MARINE RISKS. Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal ports of India

A BROKERAGE of THIRTY-THEEE and ONE-THIRD PER CENT. will be allowed on all LOCAL RISKS. FIRE RISKS. .. Policies granted on First-class Buildings to

an extent of \$20,000. A DISCOUNT OF TWENTY PER CENT. (20) upon the current local rates will be allowed on all premium charged for insurance; such discount being deducted at the time of the issue of policy. RUSSELL & Co., Agenta.

ly 1 Hongkong, 1st January, 1874. YANGTSZE-INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAL

NOTICE.

N and after SATURDAY, the let November, a Brokerage of Thirty-three and oneinsurances granted by this Association.

Agents: if 1800 Hongkong, 30th October, 1873. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

made, on the Premium charged on all Insurances offected with this Office; such Return COLOURS; PLATE, CHINA WARE, GLASS being payable on the issue of the Policy. u 1159 Hongkoug, 24th June, 1872.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LONDON. INCORPORATED 1859.

CAPITAL, E1.000,000. I lit b Undersigned having been appointed OOAL, nan obtain it from the Under- Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Marine Risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. ti 1851 Hongkong, 7th June, 1837.

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, THIS DAY and TO-MORROW (FRIDAY.) the 29th and 30th January, 1874; commencing each day at Noon, at the premises of MESSES. SMITH, ARCHER & Co.,

The whole of their HOUSEHOLD and OF. FICE FURNITURE, consisting of-HALL

Carved Hat STAND, Carved Hall TABLES and CHAIRS, GASALIER, TELESCOPE on Tripod, by UALLAGHAN & Co., London,

DRAWING ROOM, Blue Silk Covered WALNUT OHAIRS. COUCHES, Ottoman SEATS, Easy CHAIRS GASALIER, &c., &c. LARD & COLLABD.

DINING ROOM. Handsomely Carved SIDEBOARD, WHAT-NOT, Dining TABLE, CHAIRS, MIRROR PICTURES, Plate Glass Fire SCREEN GASALIER and GAS BRACKETS, OUT GLASS and ORUCKERY WARE, ELEC- FITH OM PSON & TRO-PLATED and SILVER WARE, CAR-PET, PUNKAH, &c., &c.

BILLIARD ROOM. An English-made BILLIARD TABLE, by THURSTON, with Marking Board, Cues, Rests, Balls, &c., Gus Billiard LAMP, OHAIRS, TABLES, &c.

LIBRARY. Carved Book CASES, CHAIRS, Writing and other TABLES, BOOKS, MAGAZINES, wel

BED ROOMS. Mahogany BEDSTEADS. Spring MAT TRESSES, Handsomely Carved WARD ROBES. Carved Book CASES. Mahogany Marble-top WASSSTANDS and Toilet SER-VICES, Toilet GLASSES, Dressing TABLES, COUCHES, CHAIRS, Cheval GLASSES PIOTURES, GASALIERS, &c., &c.

English and Ohina-made DESKS, TABLES CHAIRS, CLOUKS, Copying PRESSES Book STANDS, Fireproof Iron SAFE, Stationery STANDS, Sample STANDS. FILES of OLD NEWSPAPERS. House BUAT and DAVITS.

Catalogues will be issued, and the Farniture will be on view on Wednesday, the 28th January The Hall, Drawing Room, Library, Billiard Room, Spare Dining Room, Stable, and Office Farniture will be sold on the First Day. The Bed Room, Dressing Room, and Bath Room Furniture will be sold on the Second

TERMS OF SALE-Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, Mr. CHARLES F. TREMLETT and Mr. WM. with all faults and errors of description, at pur-45 Hongkong, bib January, 1874, PUBLIC AUCTION.

> THE Undersigned will sell by Public Anc-Drums Boiled OIL.

CORDIALS. BRANDY. CLARET. SALAD OIL Bivuno and Havana OIGARS. RAZORS. Shoe BRUSHES. Straw PLAITS.

Cases LIQUEURS.

Blue, Red, and White FLANNEL, BUCK SKINS, ANTIMACASSARS, Window CUR-TAINS, &c. An Invoice of PLATED WARE, comprising Tea and Collee SETS, SALVERS, Breakfast ORUETS, SPOONS, FORKS, CANDLE. STICKS, Iron TRAYS. &c. An Invoice of REVOLVERS and Assorted

PISTOLS. 200 Breech-loading RIFLES, with SWORD BAYONETS and BELTS. To close a Consignment,-

Sundry Merino SHIRTS and Merino HALF By order -Sundry EFFECTS of the late WILLIAM LAILEY, JOHN RODGERS, and THOS. WELSEY.

8 CHRONOMETERS. TERMS OF SALE. Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

J. M. ARMSTRONG.

160 Hongkong, 28th January, 1874. THE OPEN STOCK EXCHANGE. BANK BUILDINGS, HONGKONG.

THE SEVENTH SALE of BANK, M. RINE and FIRE INSURANCE, DOO STEAM NAVIGATION, TRADING, GA HOTEL, SUGAR, and other SHARES, will be held TO-DAY, 29th January, at 2.30 P.M. precisely. SHARP & Co.

148 Hongkong, 26th January, 1874, PUBLIC AUCTION. ELEGANT AND SUBSTANTIAL ENG LISH-MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE GLASS WARE, PLATED WARE,

ENGRAVINGS, &c., &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from A. Comon, Esq., to sell by Public third per cent. (334 %), will be allowed on all Auction, at his residence, Robinson Road, on MONDAY. the 23rd day of February, 1874, at Noon pre-The whole of his ELEGANT and SUBSTAN. TIAL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising Drawing Room, Dining Room, and Bedroom SUITES. COUCHES, Ottoman, Easy, and other CHAIRS, TABLES, WHATNOTS, Canton Carved Blackwood CHAIRS, CUR-TROM this date until further notice, a TAINS, OARPETS, Hearth RUGS, Pier Return of Twenty per cent. (20%) will be GLASSES, Inlaid Pearwood SIDEBOARD, Oak WAGONS, ENGRAVINGS, WATER WARE, Brass BEDSTEADS, Spring and GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Horse Hair MATIRESSES, BOOK CASE, Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. WARDROBES, CHEST of DRAWERS, &c.

1 Iron SAFE. PONY and TRAP. SADDLERY and HARNESS A large collection of PLANTS and FERNS. Sundry WINES, STORES, &c., &c. Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE. Cash before delivery in

J. M. AHMSTRONG. Auctioneer. 127 Hongkong, 21st January, 1874.

Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

well known in this port, and now running be- 1874, inclusive. tween Shanghai and Southern Ports. The "SHAFTESBURY" was built by Os-WALD, of Sunderland, England, in 1862. Class-Length ... 200 feet

5 Water-tight Bulk heads. Her Engines are a pair of Direct Acting In-verted Cylinder Engines, built by Messrs. RICHARDSON & Sons, Hartlepool Iron Works, England, in 1862.

Diameter of Cylinders 411. Length of Stroke...... 24. Her Boilers, two in number, are on the Hoti zontal Tubular principal; having double-stop valves and connections for the working of both Orryed Walnut Contro and Card TABLES, or either of the two. The Machinery has been Jarved WHATNOTS, Handsome MIRROR on Precently thoroughly overhauled; there has also Marble-top Consol TABLE, Hundsome Mantel. | been put on a new spar-dock, the cabins taken | Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the piece MIRRORS, CLOCKS, Parian and Bronze from main deck, and placed on spar-deck, thus 5th February proxime, at 3 o'clock F.M.; for "YUNG CHING" STATUETTES, Silk and Lace CURTAINS, giving ber an additional capacity of about Five the purpose of receiving the Report of the Côm. The purpose of receiving the Report of the Côm. The purpose of receiving the Report of the Côm. The purpose of receiving the Report of the Côm. The purpose of receiving the Report of the Côm. The purpose of receiving the Report of the Côm. very fine Collection of WATER COLOURS, dead weight, or 12,000 picula with room for a to 31st October, 1873. large quantity of Cotton or other light freight. A ROSEWOUD GRAND PIANO, BY COL. or Chinese Passengers, and is particularly well adapted for the Coast trade. Speed, 8 Knots,

on 13 tons Coul. For any further particulars, apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., 46 Shanghai, 31st December, 1873.

Invite inspection of their NEW STOCK

GENTLEMEN'S FELT HATS in all the latest shapes :-THE BEAUFORT

> ATHOL. BOHEMIAN, ARGYLE, HUNGARIAN HAVRE. MELVILLE.

We have also a Choice Selection of SHIRTS AND COLLARS. specially adapted for Hongkong washing.

The ZEPHYR SHIRTS, with COLLARS PLAIN FRONTS for DRESS.

EMBROIDERED and FRILLED SHIRTS

33. QUEEN'S ROAD. HONGKONG. 86 Hongkong, 13th January, 1874. ...

NOTIFICATION. A. COPY of the JURY LIST for 1874 is The posted at the Supreme Court House, for

W. H. ALEXANDER 15d 13B Hongkong, 24th January, 1574. MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. LIAVE just received a SHIPMENT of BOURBON WHISKY. 14d 189 Hongkong, 23rd January, 1874.

NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY AT HAMBURG. INCORPOBATED A.D. 1868. Court of Administration. JOH. BERENBERG GOSS-EMILE NÖLTING & Co

F. LAEISZ. OARL WORKMANN. Managing Director. - C. PREGER.

Agonts at Hongkong .- MELCHERS & Co. THE Company, disposing of a Capital of 20,000,000 Reichsmark, according to arrangements with and guaranteed by important German Re-Insurance Companies, is prepared to nocept Risks to the extent of \$65,000, and

Policies will be granted by the Undersigned at the current local rates, subject to a discount of MELOHERS & Co. tf 90 Hongkong, 14th January, 1874. THE INDO-OHINESE SUGAR COMPAN

LIMITED NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CHAREHOLDERS are hereby notified, that in accordance with the 36th Clause of the Articles of Association of the Company, the 8th Call of Twelve Dollars and Fifty Cents per share is payable on the 31st December current at the Hongrond and Shanghai Banking Interest at the rate of Twelvo per cent. per annum will be charged on all Calls paid after

tf 2009 Hongkong, 10th December, 1873. TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

THE undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company, are pre-

pared to accept risks against Fire, subject to a honus of 20 per cent. SIEMSSEN & Co., tf 39" Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

N and after the present date a rebate of Thirty-three and one-third per cent. (334 %) will be allowed on all insurances granted by this Company. By order of the Consulting Committee, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

tf 1805 Hongkong, 1st November, 1878.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY.

General Agents.

NOTIOE

THE Undersigned have been appointed the STRAITS. Agents at Amoy for the above Company. and are prepared to accept, risks by first-class steamers and sailing vessels. DODD & Co. 3m, 1897 Amoy, 14th November, 1873.

Secretary: 48d 2021 Hongkong, 29th January, 1874, HONGKONG AND CHINA BAKERY COMPANY, LIMITED.

N Ordinary General MEETING of phace A bolders of the Company will be held at our office, Queen's Road, TO-DAY, the 29th January, 1874, at 4.30 P.M. MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. General Managers. 3d 157 Hongkong 29th January, 1874. OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADERS

INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Ordinary MEETING of the Shureholders he above Company will be hold at the Hend The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from the 24th i st, to 6th proximo,

both days inclusive. By order of the Committee, AUGUSTINE REARD & Co., General Agents 22d 102 Hongkong, 16th January, 1874. THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.

NOTICE. QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG. 26th January, 1874. A N Extraordinary General MEETING of

do MONDAY, the 9th day of Fubruary, 1874

Shareholders will be held at'S o'clock'r.M

to confirm the special resolution, &c., passed at the Meeting held this day. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Agents. 144 155] : Canton Insurrence Office. THE HONGKONG FIRM INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

MHE Fifth Ordinary Annual MEETING of Sharebolders in the above Company will be held at the Offices' of the Company, No. 7. Queen's Road, on MONDAY, the 15th February next, at three o'clock in the afternoon, to receive a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1879, the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Audi- will be received by the undersigned until noon

JARDINE: MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited. 831 97 Hongkong, 15th January, 1874. THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer Books of the Company wi be CLOSED from the 2nd to the 18th February next, both days included. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited.

NOTICE.

33d 98 Hongkong, 15th Junuary, 1874. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Notice of any Inaccuracies. Omissions. Ob- THE fifth Ordinary MEETING of Share-approximate area, as regards the scavenging jections, &c., must be given to the Registrar on holders in the Company will be held-at contract, and any further information that may or before MONDAY, the ninth day of February, the Company's Office, 48, Queen's Road. Vic- he required, can be obtained upon application 1874, in accordance with the provisions of Sections at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of MON, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. daily.

The sof Ordinance No. 11 of 1864.

DAY, the 23rd February next, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the report of the Directors for the year ending 31st Control Office December, 1873.

> The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 28rd February. both days inclusive. By order, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. 31d 140 Hongkong, 24th January, 1874.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. the Company's Office, 48, Queen's Road, Vic- the books of the Company, and no alteration. toria, at bull-past three for four o'clock in the made. afternoon of MONDAY, the 23rd February next, for the purpose of authorizing certain alterations to Paragraph No. 1, Clause No. 104, of

the Company's Articles of Association. By order, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE; 3ld 141 Hongkong, 24th Japuary, 1874. ONGKONG. CANTON: AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS THE DIVIDEND at the rate of 16 per cent. per unnum, or \$6 per share, declared at the Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting of Share-bolders held this day, will be payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corpo-DATION on and after WEDNESDAY next, the 21st metant. Shareholders are requested to

apply at the office of the Company for War-By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents. 114 Hongkong, 17th January, 1874.

NOTICE. In the Estate of MAXIMIANO CORDEIRO A LL persons indebted to the above Estate, are requested to make immediate pay-A. NOEL BLAKEMAN, - ment, and those baving Claims against the same, Secretary. to send particulars with the necessary Vouchers ONSIGNEES of Goods by the above March next, or they will not be recognised.

> 10 134 Foodhow, 13th January, 1874. THE OHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY

LIMITED. FTER this date, the Brokerage allowed by At this Company on the Premin on RISKs to ports west of Singapore, will be Ten per cent (10%) only; on ALL OTHER INSURANCES a Brokerage of Thirty-three and One-third per cent. (33; %) on the Premia will be allowed, as

OLYPHANT & Co., -General Agents. tf 42. Hongkong, 5th January, 1874. OHINA AND JAPAN MARINE INSU RANCE COMPANY. NOTICE.

heretofore.

FTER this date, a brokerage of Thirty-three A and one third per cent. (831%) will be allowed by this Agency on risks to ports in CHINA, JAPAN, the PHILIPPINES, and On risks to all other ports, the brokerage will GD, \$373, ... be ten per cent. (10 %) only.

Hougkong, 21st January, 1874.

hed for the. N. & Co.

FIAHE British Steamer "CONSOLATION." Cormack, Master, will be desputched for the above port at 4 o'clock THIS AFTERNOON.

For Freight or Passage, apply to 162 Hongkong, 29th January, 1874. FOR MANILA.

THE Spanish Steamer "FORMOSA," Morales, Muster, will be despatched for the above port TO-MORROW, the 30th instant, at

· For Freight or Passage, apply to

2 o'clock P.Ma

REMEDIOS & Co. 2d 163 Hongkong, 29th January, 1874. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND SHANGHAL.

the 2nd proximo. For Freight or Passage apply to CHINESE MERCHANTS' STEAM NAVIGATION Co.

.54 164 Hongkong, 29th January, 1874,

-HONGKONG YAOHT CLUB. NOCEAN RACE, open to all Yachts belonging to the CLUB, will be sailed TO-MORROW, the 30th instant. Prize.—THE DOUGLAS CHALLENGE CUP, value \$500; to be won two years in succession by a yacht, the bona fide property of the same

owner. A prize of \$50 is added by the Yacht Course.—From the Coal Sheds, Kowloon, to Macao, and back to a Mark-bout moored off Stone cutters' Island

Stirt .- 8 o'clock A.M. Time Allowance.—One minute per ton. Entrance. Five dollars. Charts of the course will be furnished to each ompeting vessel. Entries to be sent in to the Honorary Secre-

tary before noon on THURSDAY, the 20th EDWARD BEART. 5d 146 Hongkong, 24th January, 1874.

CEALED TENDERS, in duplicate, marked Outside "Tenders for Army Contracts," on SATURDAY, the Slat Junuary, 1874, for such quantities of Commissariat and Hospital Supplies, such as Provisions, Wines, Porter, Spirits, Fuel, and Light, &c. ; or for the porformance of Barrack and Hospital Services, such as washing and repairing Bedding, repairing Blensils, &c.; or for the cleaning of the Roads. Parades, &c , at the various canton ments at Hongkong (Victoria, Kowloon, and Stanley,) and other Scavengers' Work, and for sweeping

Majesty's Troops, or service of the War Department, in the Island of Hongkong or its outposts, during the year from the let April, 1874 to the 31st March, 1875. Samples of certain of the articles required, and in accordance with which supplies must be furnished, can be seen ab this office; where, also, Forms of Tender (no other than those issued-by the Control Department will be received.) conditions of contract, plans, specifications, and

Chimneys, cleaning and lighting exterior

Lamps, &c., removing rubbish, &c., as may from

bime to time be required for the use of Her

Assistant Controller. Hongkong, 28th January, 1874. 6d 147 OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADERS

INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED.) NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS.

(10NTRIBUTORS of business to the above Company are requested to furnish the Undersigned, on or before the 15th proximo, with a memo, of premis contributed during the year ended 31st October last, in order that the percentage on the two-thirds (2/3rds), of the profits for the said year, set uside for tham, A N Extraordinary MEETING of Share- may be arranged: After the above date, the holders in the Company will be held at accounts will be adjusted in conformity with

> AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.. 28d 139 Honghong, 23rd January, 1874. LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLUBE

INSURANCE COMPANY. TROM this date, until further notice, a discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the corrent local rate of premia will be allowed upon insurances effected with this Company. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

tf 1198 Hongkong, 27th June, 1872. Notices to Consignees. BRITISH SHIP CLENAROS, FROM

very of their Goods. Ourgo impeding the discharge of the vessel vill be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. RAYNAL & Co., 7d 159 Hongkong, 28th January, 1874.

S. S. EGERIA. FROM HAMBURG, LON-

DON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named

vessel are hereby requested to send in

their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for

countersignature, and to take immediate deli-

to the undersigned, on or before the 7th day of Steamer are bereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged, landed, and stored at their risk into the Godowns of Messrs. J. S. HOOK, Son & Co., whence delivery may be ob-Goods remaining in store after the 31st inst. will te subject to rent.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless applied for by the Consignees before noon TO-DAY, the 26th inst. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SIEMSSEN & Co. 149. Hongkong, 26th January, 1874.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES. MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. CONSIGNEES of the following cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery ; this Cargo bas been landed and stored at their risk and expense. To No fire insurance has been effected. _ O BERTRAND.

Principal Agent Ea " Amazone," 31st December, 1873. PS, 5242/43 2 onses Merchandise. . Ex " Ava," 16th January, 1874. GPD. \$327 -... l case Merchandise.

GM in diamond, \$7/8... 11 pkgs. Merchandise. Hongkong, 28rd January, 1874.

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Hongkong, January 29th, 1874.

considered-at-length-at the approaching neeting of the Chamber of Commerce, it is desirable to note the points upon which the discussion will in all probability, turn. iows :---

I.-Is a new coin required as currency for

II.-If so, is such new coin wanted at once III.—What coin is suitable?

(a) The Japanese Yen.

(b) The Trade Dollars. (c) A new coin minted at home.

V.—Are there any collateral advantages attaching to the adoption of either one of the above-named coins, which will add to the direct reasons for adopting it, or detract from the direct reasons for rejecting it?

points likely to arise in the discussion, and the subject being treated on this basis will we think, become cleared up to a considerable

First, then: -Is a new coin required as currency in Hongkong, and for what reason or reasons? The arguments which were adduced by Mr. Camenon upon this point at the above-named soins, which will add to the the last meeting of the Chamber, appeared to direct reasons for adopting it, or detract from be so fully concurred in by those who were the direct reasons for rejecting it? As regards most competent to form an opinion, that we the Japanese Yen, there is the undoubted presume there will be no discussion on this advantage of proximity, and as respects the head. That the present system is unsatis. American Trade Dollar, there is the advanfactory all are agreed, but it is important to tage of certain arrangements having already note that this unsatisfactoriness results from been made for its production. But there appeared, and the case was struck out. two causes (a) an irregularity in the supply, are so many reasons, as already shown, against as pointed out by Mr. Cameron, and (b) the the adoption of the Yen, that we do not rent fact that the dollars are at present subjected think the one advantage of the proximity of to the process of "chopping," as pointed out Japan can be considered to outweigh them, by Mr. GRANVILLE SHARP. A coin to com- and, as respects the means which are available pletely supply the wants of the Colony must, for obtaining the American Trade Dollar, therefore, meet both these requirements.

This point was not raised during the discus. With regard, however, to a coin minted at sion at the last meeting of the Chamber, but home, there are, in addition to the direct adit is of importance in a full consideration of vantages above noticed, collateral the subject. We have good authority for siderations which add considerably to the stating that there is no immediate or press. reasons for adopting it. It is inconsistent tween the 1st March and the 30th May last, ing want for a new coin, and that the exist- in a British Colony to be dependent ing difficulty is the same that has been ex- upon a foreign source for a coinage, at all perienced for years past, and although of a events before all our own resources to supserious nature, is not of a sudden and ply the want have been exhausted. unexpected character such as need be is also to be further borne in mind met by exceptional and prompt action. It is that supplying a reliable coin is a very legia difficulty in fact inherent to being depend timate source of political influence, which, if onses appeared, and it was or ered that they be water into the tea pot. Some of it fell on his risen to a point at which America is not likely ent upon any outside source for a supply of measures be taken to improve the currency coin, and there is not at the present moment of this Colony, may very fairly form an ele- The death is announced in the American the defendant that he should not do that, and lance between the two countries, bus recovered any great pressure to call for immediate at ment for consideration. There are thus tion. It will, therefore, be advisable (a) to stronger collateral reasons in favour of abstain from any immediate action if such a adopting a coin minted at home, than in Evening Post, "and in Bridgeport, Count., for laft. At about 4 p.m. he went down to issue to calculate on its being so. The improvement

stances will permit. ed opinion was shown at the recent meeting layour of this solution of the difficulty.

in his able speech, being the only supporter more prompt action than such as would be of introducing a coin as a legal tender in compatible with making arrangements for a Hongkong from a country which has only so supply of coin from home, is necessary; and recently entered into the comity of civilized if so, whether a temporary measure, such as nations as Japan. There was a commend the adoption during the interim of the able reluctance to say anything which American Trade Dollar, would not meet the might be offensive to a nation towards requirements of trade, until a suitable coin whom all who are in favour of pro- can be supplied upon a permanent and gress in the East must look with feelings reliable basis. It is, however, important to of friendly interest; but there was undoubt- bear in mind that the present discussion has edly a good deal of sound sense in the sug- arisen, not on account of any particular want gestion made by the Chairman, that it was at the moment for an additional supply were considerable losers by a depreciation in | these coins into more general requisition, for the Japanese Boos, and this forms a sulli- which there does not appear to be any cient ground for caution as to the present coin. tion of the Boo resulted from the action of Daimios, in the days when they were permitted to issue the coins from local mints, and it may be urged that the coinage is now centralized in an Imperial Mint, and that the danger is consequently much lessen-

ed. We admit lessened, but we do not think done away with. It is impossible to foresco the drift of political matters in Japan, and it would be unwise to adopt a coin, without very good scourity that under no circumstances would there be a fair probability of its being depreciated. If, however, there were a return to the old system, or to anything like it, it is probable that the coins would again be deprecinted, and it is quite possible such might be the case under other circumstances, which | papers. The side de-camps, both of H.E. the | had. may be easily conceived, such as the Mint being taken in hand by the Japanese without foreign supervision, as was suggested by one of the speakers at the recent meeting. These reasons seem to he so conclusive against the like Hougkong, and word of intimation would adoption of the Japanese Yen, that we make be acceptable. little doubt this suggestion will be rejected, in terms of the amendment proposed by Mr.

Next, as to the American Trade Dol.

lar. There is no absolute objection to adopting it as a currency, but there seems also to be no absolute necessity for doing so; and if it be adopted it would not do to place it on a footing by count with the Mexican Dollar, as HALL & HOLTZ and KELLY it seems that there is a difference of something like one per cent. between the Trade HALL& HOLTZ and KELLE Dollar and the Mexican, and this would ob-HALL & HOLTZ and KELLY viously lead to difficulty, as people would always wish to receive the Trade Dollar, but to pay the Mexican, and be-Yokohama...... Mesere. Lane, Orkwoord & Co. fore long complications would arise fromMr. C. D. Moss, Japan Gasette this source which would probably more than counterbalance any advantage which would be gained by the increased supply of coin through the adoption of the American Trade Dollar. It appears that on the basis of the San Francisco, Mr. L. P. Fisher, 21, Mer. Canton assay, published in the Government plaintiff's houses since 1871. Rent was paid not ply to Little Hongkong, and he thought for ships, on our coasts in the general plaintiff's houses since 1871. Rent was paid not ply to Little Hongkong, and he thought for ships, on our coasts in the general plaintiff's houses since 1871. Rent was paid not ply to Little Hongkong, and he thought for ships, on our coasts in the general plaintiff's houses since 1871. Rent was paid not ply to Little Hongkong, and he thought for ships, on our coasts in the general plaintiff's houses since 1871. Rent was paid not ply to Little Hongkong, and he thought for ships, on our coasts in the general plaintiff's houses since 1871. Rent was paid not ply to Little Hongkong, and he thought for ships, on our coasts in the general plaintiff's houses since 1871. Rent was paid not ply to Little Hongkong, and he thought for ships, on our coasts in the general plaintiff's houses since 1871. Rent was paid not ply to Little Hongkong, and he thought for ships, on our coasts in the general plaintiff's houses since 1871. Rent was paid not ply to Little Hongkong, and he thought for ships of the general plaintiff's houses since 1871. Gazette, 1,000 American Trade Dollars weigh Taels 726.8. Therefore, one thousand old Mexicans, counted, but weighed at 717, would equal in weight 9861 counted American Trade Dollars. Again, 717 tools weight of old books as tenant of both bouses. The second Mexican Dollars contains tasks 640-8 of pure silver, and a thousand American Trade Dollars counted, contain about taels 648.5. Therefore, 988 of the latter counted contain \$28 were now due. about as much pure silver as 1,000 of the former taken at the standard weight of 717. but not before; no one but the rent collector From a weighing made here, it was found that 1,000 American Trade Dollars weigh from taels 728 9 to taels 724, which would give left with his collector. somewhat over 990 to the standard of 717, or persons who have weighed the Dollars agree perjury. within a little on this point.

Finally, on this head-would a new coin minted at home be suitable? salient questions may be summed up as fol- already expressed an opinion on this point, and trust that in again doing so we shall not be thought to be merely arguing for con-Hongkong, and for what reason or sistency—as we shall be glad to modify the opinion expressed should there appear to be any just reason for so doing. We have heard since, that many who afe thoroughly well informed on this subject are of opinion that the introduction of a coin minted at home is only received fourteen days wages-from the the proper solution of the turrency difficulty 23rd October up to the 11th November. The he told the Inspector that he was not taken to zerland, as we have before pointed out, being in this Colony. What we want is not really a coin, but an arrangement by which (a) we can depend upon a continuous supply of coins as the necessities of trade may call for them, and (b) such as will enable us to proteet the coin which is made the legal cur-The above statement involves almost all the rency in the Colony. Such an arrangement next Tuesday. could, there is every reason to believe, be made without difficulty at home, and, as we have already shown, the coin could be laid down here more rapidly from England-than-from-

Pourthly :- Are there any collateral actiontages attaching to the adoption of either one of there can be little doubt that they could be Second:-Is such new coin wanted at once? quite equalled by the Mint in England.

measure be only of a temporary character, or favour of either of the other coins suggested; (b) to make any such temporary measure and, so far as we know, no general reasons mother. She directed the hospitalities of her fight, and ultimately the the Bank rate before the end of the year. The subordinate, to a measure of a permanent against it. It seems, therefore, impossible to character, to be taken so soon as circum- believe that the two great advantages, first, that a supply of coin in this manner Thirdly :- What coin is suitable? We could always be depended upon; and, sethink there will be little doubt that the argu- condly, that we can protect such a coin, and ments against legalising the Japanese Yen so do away with the abuse of chopped will be considered conclusive. A very mark- dollars, will not determine the Chamber in white teeth, but she opens it with a sorp of pre- with the complainant. The complainant as-

a question for serious consideration whether, of coin, but because the Japanese Yen if the Japanese You were made a legal tender, and American Trade Dollar happen to have some one might not one day be the loser come upon the market; and the only effect It is a fact that formerly one or two Banks of precipitating action would be to bring prossing necessity.

> The half-yearly general meeting of the shareholders in the Hongkong Hotel Company, is to take place to-day, at 3.30 p.m ..

The large sale of furniture at Messrs. Smith, reper & Co.'s, advertised for some time pust, is to take place to-day and to-morrow.

place at the whipping post, near the Harbourmaster's office, at 4 p.m. to-morrow, the 30th

Stope, we bear, are being taken to secure the Naval Hospital against fire. Forty tanks, each to contain three tons of water, are to be created

A correspondent writes to complain that the time of the review on Tuesday was wrongly stated in the China Mail. It is to be regretted that no official intimution was given to the Governor and of Major-General Whitfeild, are usually so courteous in matters of this description that we doubt not the omission was acci- | confinement in gaol, without the option of a fine. dental Possibly the review was not considered of sufficient importance to notify, but an event of the kind is of some interest in a small place

SUPREME COURT. 28th Januaru

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. -BEFORE THE HON, CHIEF-JUSTICE SMALE

fendant did not appear, and it was stated by the summoning officer that she had gone to first offence he would be sent to 21 days' hard Plaintiff said that on the 3rd January be washed 132 articles of clothing for defendant for which he made the above claim. Judgment for plaintiff, with costs, and im-

THOMPSON AND HIND v. R. S. PINTO, \$23:15. -Claim for various articles supplied. Defeud-

HO-BIE v. WAN-SING, \$29.50 .- Claim for rent. tor, who said that defendant had been tenant of a short time, he did not know that steamers did wrecks and casualties, foreign as well as British by defendant, who received receipts, and the certain the steamer he was on board of was go- regards casualties in our streets, London alone amount claimed was now due.

one of them he had never occupied. He did other Chinese there. After a few days be was the whole kingdom in the same time. not know how his name appeared in the ren: ook was never given to him, but to Yeong-kee, always paid the rent to the collector, and about

Defendant, recalled, said he knew that there and last witness had ever spoken of it to him. Plaintiff, who had been sent for, was called.

ment was given for plaintiff, his Lordship a difference of \$4 per mills from the Canton expressing himself strongly of opinion that as currency in the Colony will doubtless be assay weight. We understand that several defendant and his witness had been guilty of choice to be either tried at the Saprems Court,

YUEN-CHEK-CREONG v. LEE-A-MING, \$15.98

the summons, and the case was adjourned till Tuesday pext; when his Lordship said it contract to supply the same for his grounds. He Belgium, Italy, and Switzerland, with the france might assume a serious aspect.

Insked the last witness whether he would go as the basis of enumeration, and a double ston-

LEW-SAI-FOOK ". LEW-EWAI-BUM. \$18.06 .-Claim for balance of wages due. . Plaintiff said be was clerk to the defendant from Eeptember inst. at \$6 a month. He had

was sure there was nothing due. The books, were produced, but were in such street it was in. a state that his Lordship said be really could not adjudicate on the case, and ordered that

TEANG-MAN-SHING v. NG-POO. alias TANG-KUN-Po, \$8.00.-Oldim by a schoolmaster for to carry the plants himself. teaching two of defendant's children. Defendant admitted that \$4 were due, and plaintiff said he was willing to take that amoun with costs. Judgment accordingly.

ON-KWAN D. WONG-SHING .- Defendant did not appear. Case adjourned to Tuesday next to defendant's non-appearance, case adjourned

LIOW A-TAK v. CHOY-ON, \$16.40. Adjourned to a burracoon.

How-A-CHU v. CHUN-A-FOO .- Neither parties LU-A-BOO v. LEE-A-SEONG, \$2.16.—Claim for

Plaintiff said be let two rooms to defendant picious character, was again brought before his

iven for \$1.75. AU-A-SING v. NG-POO-LIBE, \$35.90 .- Adjourn-

LEE-A-HIM V. BARNES, \$38.87.-Chim for wages and provisions: Defendant did not appear. Plaintiff said he had been cook and coolie to defendant, and supplied provisions beto defendant. Witness's wages were \$10 a month, and there was a balance of \$38.87 now

Judgment for plaintiff, execution forthwith. LEONG NG-QUIT. YOW CHEW QUIANDOTHERS. \$172.63. WONG-A-KOO and ANOTHER .v. R. S.

critics have decided that "Mile. I egant seems was removed below to bed, where he was centerents, though intrinsically most justinetoo knowing; her large eyes are more vivacious | confined for a day. than astonished, her mouth shows beautiful! Defendant said that be did not have a fight printed their legitimate lesson.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE: 28th January. BEFORE F. 7. MITCHELL, Esq.

market people in the West Market, with having a game of fun-tan, with ten others not in plainant and defendant fighting; he parted custody, on the night of the 27th. they were simply looking on at some boys who a blow on the face. He had no difficulty in were gambling, but as complainant was positive separating them. The defendant was of that defendants were sitting down amongst quarrelsome disposition. them, and handling the cash, and no boys in the

hamed Law-n-on, in the same establishment with him, with assaulting him, by throwing a stone tool at him, inflicting a severe wound on the left side of his head.

men bud lost some ten cent pieces, and defend- cook. He heard the steward say he was not dant accused him of having spread a report defendant got very angry, and threw the stoner. He denied that he mentioned defendant as having taken the money. A witness for the proscention named Cheena son, corroborated complainant's statement

and be also denied that defendant was accused of taking the money. The public flogging of prisoners will take accuse him of dishonesty, but his Worship informed defendant it was only the imagination fault, fourteen day's bard inbour.

> Kwok-u-yow, a bill sticker to the Sing-ping on the defendant to beat him. He would say theatre, was charged by Chinese constable No. 305, with sticking bille up on a European private house on the Praya Central. Complainant said be and contioned the de-

Defendant said he saw numerous old bills posted up, which were none of his, and thought he had just as much right to post his up as they

As a caution that bill stickers should "beware," his Worship sent defendant to 24 hours'.

District watchman No. 9 charged Chun-ayan and another, who were recognised as having been in gaol before, with manuging a game of fan-tan on the Praye, in front of the Harbour Master's office, at 9 s.m. on the 28th instant. Defendants denied the charge, but another watchman, No. 10, corroborated complainant's evidence, positively asserting be saw first defendant managing, and the second defendant collecting, the winnings. Second defendant denied that be had been in gaol before, but he was recognised both by Mr. F. Douglas HU-A-FOOK v. ANNE YOUNG, \$7.14 -De- and Mr. Action, the interpreter of the Court. First defendant was told that, as this was his Inbour; but the second defendant, having been in gaol before, was sent to six weeks hard labor.

> The remanded case in which Inspector Cradouk charged a man named Foo-a-shing. with kidnapping one Leo-tam-shun, on the 21st November, and taking him to Macao, came on again, the kidnapped man having returned to

but knew nothing about the case, as it had been deceived when he found himself in Macao, He sea, all over the world, result in less loss of life received from defendant a monthly sullry of from British shipping than do the ordinary Some other evidence was heard, and a judg. St. At the time be was taken to Macao, the processes of walking and riding on land in this defendant owed him 200 cash.

Defendant was then told that he had the or to be tried at the Magistracy before two

Defendant said he would prefer to be tried -Claim for wages due. Defendant did not at the Police Court, and in his defence said on the currency question as it affects the soppear, ewing to some mistake in the serving that hearing a gentleman in Maono wanted called "Latin" Convention, which was entered some plants, he wished to go there to get the into in 1865 to assimilate the systems of France with him to carry the plants, and he said dard of silver and gold. The enemies of this Koo-Lum a Yip.k.wo, S5. Neither parties he was willing. Before he went, the witness plan have always held that the attempt to appeared, and it was ordered that they be informed his uncle, and he himself told the maintain a double system permanently was a uncle of witness that as he had a wife and fami- | mistakel innemuch asia special demand for one ly in Hongkong, there was no fear that he would of the metals, and this would naturally be gold entrop his nephew. On arrival at Macso, be would withdraw it from the limits of the Contook witness to a barber's shop to stay, whilst vention, and throw on the latter on overflow of be went to Ham-shan to get plants. He de- silver, growing gradually debused in value, as nied that he took the witness to a barracoon, well as inconvenient, and tending further to and when the witness returned to Hongkong restrict the natural bank issues of notes. Switbalance up to 12th January was the amount a barracoon by him (defendant), but that he the most cosmonolitan of the four countries. was taken there by another man, at Macaca, has already began to feel these evils Defendant said plaintiff had kept the books, He (defendant) had been in Hongkong 18 years, tically, since the Germans drew, gold in so

they be examined by the court officials before expense of paying the witness's expenses from and Silver, a Question of the Day," attracted partying plants, and then place him in a bar- and has, no doubt, led to his nomination by

The defendant said that the Portuguese gen- i be held at Paris. The Belgian Government tleman lived at Ham-shan, and not at Macao, lappears to be no less carer on the subject than as he stated before, and he went to get the that of Switzerland, and has prepared a large contract, and not to carry the plants himself. mass of official documents to be laid before the Defendant again altered his statement, and | Commission. All at present points towards said the gentleman was not a Portuguese, he the adoption of a gold coinage as the sole was a Chinese, named Atow. Had he obtained standard; and if France persists in the backthe contract, he would have had to go to his own | ward policy by which she managed to stave off N. M. GEWAREN v. E. BARROS, \$12 -Owing native place, a little to the back of it, named the postal reforms of Herr Stephan, she will

> Lee-tam-shan, recalled, denied that he told Russia which caused the intended postal conthe Inspector that a Hui-fang man took him gress named for last September to be indefinitely the defendant in September, 1867, from which | Lord's in June, 1859, when he scored, for the Defendant was then remanded to Monday

BEFORE C. MAY, Esq. A SUBPICIOUS CHARACTER Wong-a-ping, the night soil coolie charged y district watchman No. 9, with being a sue-

Worship, having been remanded from the 26th | Defendant was represented by his wife, but she | leglendant was identified as having been bad no answer to the case, and judgment was convicted of the unlawful possession of a cat, on the 26th September, 1873, and fined \$3: Defendant was again convicted of being a of that balance, whether much or little, the rogue and vagabond, and ordered to find secu- German Government holds convertible serity in \$10, for one month.

MARINE MAGISTRATE'S COURT.

BEFORE H. G. THOMSETT, Esq., R.N.

THE "DERAR."

Complainant stated that on the 10th instant, the intentions of the German, Government the ship being at sea, at 5.15 a.m. be went to exclusively. The American panie seems to be PLNTO, \$7.50.—Neither of the parties in these the galley, whilst defendant was pouring hot gradually passing away. The exchange has threatened to smash the saucepans. He told "bill correacy," which settles the trade bapapers of Mrs. Charity Barnum, the wife of that if he smashed the saucepaps be might its officiency. Few persons would have hoped Ir. T. P. Barnam, of New York. "Mrs. Bar. bave his head bunshed. "The defendant then a month since that the amendment would have num was well known in this city," mays the called him a monkey. He (witness) then went been so rapid, and it would have been unduess her massuming charities and for the domestic provisions, when he charged the cook with may fairly be expected to continue, and it is virtues which adorn the character of wife and having insulted him; and challenged him to probable that we shall see another reduction in elegant home with true grace and courtesy." defendant said he wanted give in. About balf Economist wishes it could anticipate that the Mile. Legault, a young girl of fifteen, leau. an hour afterwards, he again went to the gal- Bank-of England would take this opportunity tiful and in every way endowed for success as ley, and as be turned to leave, he received a of raising its reserve to a higher point than it an actress, lately made ber debut in Peris as blow, which knocked him senseless to the deck. has formerly judged sufficient, but it feare that "Agnes," in Moliere's Ecole des Femme. The He was out in the right eye with an axe, and there is no ground for so imagining. The re-

of the Chamber on this point, Mr. Cameron, The only question, therefore, is whether than the complete innocence of an Agnes." as he knew he could beat him. The latter came with no minds at all

with a tempot in the afternoon, and threatened him, and beat him again. He was chopping up wood at the time the complainant was abusing him, and he lifted up the chopper,

losing his tomper, and struck him. John Japper, corpenter on board, said he West Indian constable No. 109, charged two heard a noise at about 4 p.m., and he went for ward. On looking below he saw the comthem. Afterwards the complainant was com-Defendants devied that they were, gambling; ing into his house, when defendant struck him

affair, they were sent to ten days' hard labour | that he did not see any of the disturbance board. He had no reason to complain of the defendant's conduct. No complaints had been Ng.a.hip, a tailor, charged a fellow workman, made to him, beyond that he was informed the foot was not cooked enough one day. Richard Dickson, swovn, said he was an ordimary senman. On the 10th instant he heard. the defendant call out Dickson. He went be

satisfied, but the curpenter held him back. that he (defendant) had taken the money; the steward told the cook that he would have him speak, and answer him, as though he was his employer. The defendant said he would. His Worship told the complainant that 40,000 persons. he was cowardly man to beat the defendant as he did, knowing that he could thrush him. He was the whole cause of the trouble, and he would recommend the captain. Defendant persisted that complainant did to get rid of him, and not keep such a troublesome man on board. The defendant, however had no right to use a chopper, and for doing so of his bruin, and he would fine him \$2, in de- he would send him to good for one week. The chopper would not linve been used had not the complainant acted so cowardly, and pressed

> ogain he was a cowardly man. Complainant thunked his Worship for the In answer to defendant, his Worship told him his discharge would be a matter between him and the captain.

THE "CONSOLATION." The case in which William Robson, third ngineer of the British stenmer Consolation, charged Jas. Murphy, fireman on board, with neing abusive language to him on the 26th instant, came on again vesterday. Complainant said the defendant refused to

take the ashes out of the stoke hole, and left It before his watch was out, and in deing so. inade use of abusive language. Defendant denied the charge, and said bis watch was finished, and he did his work properly. He called a witness named M. Flaherty, who said ilso that be saw defendant removing ashes. Complainant, however, proved that defendant did not remove the askes he should have done, in his watch; and he was ordered to forfest two BREACH OF HARBOUR REGULATIONS.

W. Washbrook, P.O. No. 29, charged Wong i-ping, master of cargo junk Li-hong toi, with throwing ballast overboard at Yow-mah-tee. Defendant, who said he only placed it on the breach to remove again, was fined 52, as the constable enid the ballast was thrown over one bundred yards from the shore.

DANGER ASHORE AND AFLOAT.

We give three tables of lives lost, (1) by rail-

money from his brother. He accordingly went coasting trade. Now that we get returns some-Macno, finly having been a resident in Hongkong | Kingdom in 1872, as against 500 lives in ship. Queen Victoria in the Isle of Wight. While ing to Little Hongkong. On arriving at Macao, gives 118 deaths in the year, or exactly one-fifth demolish its own image reflected in the glass was not allowed to leave. There were several foreign seamen and passengers on the consts of taken to an office, where be was confined, and the we were to take Lundon, Glasgow, Liverpool, wife of defendant came and took him away; and Manchester, Newcostle, Hull, Bristol, Edintook him to his native place, where he stayed bargh, Birminghum, and a few other towns, it till some one came and invited him to come to would be proved conclusively that fine days, in Loe-yeong-kee said he was the person who Hongkong to give evidence. He had not seen | which walks can be taken along frequented defendant from the day he took him to Macao thoronghfares in large towns, are far more till this day in Court. When he was taken to the dangerous to human life than the worst storms office at Macad, he expressed his unwillingness or the direct casualties on our coasts. And i to the officers to become an emigrant. The de- | we were to include the railway easualties as fendant's wife juid the expenses to get him clear | well as the street casualties in one year, we again. Believing he was necompanying de- should find that hurricanes, tornadoes, wrecks, foudant to Little Hongkong, he of course was casmilties, fires, explosions, and collisions at

> THE CURRENCY QUESTION IN EUROPE.

our United Kingdom.-Naulical Magakine.

The Continental press teems with pamphlets and had always paid himself, and he (witness) and never once committed himself. He did largely for their new coinage. Herr Feerin the Borne Legislature, bus been among - His Worship asked the defendant whether he the ablest as well as the earliest of the pamphwished to make him believe that he went to the leteers on the question. His essay, "Gold Wong-nei-absong to Macao for the purpose of notice both in his own country and elsewhere; ber's shop, whilst he himself went to Hum-shan | President Coresole as Commissioner for Switzernot on this occasion have that backing from THE MONEY MARKET.

> for that market, and for the present certainly be careful to soo clearly the mode in which this AP arises. It has no connection, as is often fancied. with the "balance." of the German Government in cash in London: quite irrespective ourities in large amounts, which it can turn into money by sale or loan if it chooses. his not having called many officers and genile- on the Trent Bridge Ground in the summer of and has no reference to the state of its defendant on the former trial. All men, he for 13 rans and five wickets, and was mainly banking account. Nor is the German demand for bullion at all dependent on the bills said to be held by Berlin bankers on this country, mun they had formerly supported. As to Mr. presented with a new ball, mounted, under a Those bills are simply items in the general er-John Allan, steward of the British ship change account of this country, and have no Berar, summoned Henry Wilson, cook of the tendency to draw bullion from us any more than same ship, for assaulting him on the 10th inst., the vastly greater amount of other bills upon England held abroad. Everything turns on

The Economist of the 6th Dec. says that

fall in the value of money has again occurred

The desaction in the German demand . has

produced the effects which were to be anticipated

from it. We have long had to provide bullion

pardion; all her person is young and charme saulted him when he was below getting up the How Many men, many minds, says Moore as his witness at the last trial. Mr. down thirty-one (twenty quaiden) overs for 20 ing, but, in fine, she rather expresses malice ment. He would not fight with complainant, the old proverb; but how many ment one repeat many of the observations and six wickets—five obtained in seven

tive, have passed away too rapidly to have im-

LATE TELEGRAMS REUTERS TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."

LONDON, 25th January, 1874. THE DISSOLUTION OF PARLIAMENT. In his address, Mr. Dismeli criticises the dis- officials. The crane is guaranteed to lift 70 solution, which he says is to avoid explanations tone, and swing on a radius of 57 feet. The relative to the Ashantees. The programme of Mr. Gladstone is indefinite, only excepted that | brickwork 17 feet high by 32 feet octagonal, Captain Heigho, master of the vessel, stated relative to the surplus. Every Ministry having With 70 tone, the speed of the lift was found a surplus applies it to the reduction of taxis, to be 2ft. 6in. per minute, while the mass was tion. The Conservatives have always favoured the abolition of the Income Tax and the re- which the muchinery is driven is a very coinduction of local taxation, which the Liberals al- pact and finished piece of mechanism. The waysopposed. Mr. Gladstoneought to show more | crane was contracted for early last year, and energy in his foreign policy, and give less home Complainant said that one of the work- low, and saw the steward struggling with the legislation. The Conservatives, though not engineer (Mr. Kinniple). In connection with afraid of popular rights, will hesitate to sanc- the opening of this crane, it may be mentioned The tion the assimilation of County and Borough franchise, because involving the disfranchisement of all Boroughs comprising less, than

DEATH OF THE GREAT, AFRICAN EXPLORES Dr. Livingstone died in June of dysentery; at the Greenock Harbour authorities in their Inke Bemba, after wading through water for four days. His body has been preserved in salt by the native servants, who are proceeding with

Russian mercantile marine was read by M. tractors are of opinion that it would lift 120 Bunyakoffsky at the last sitting of the "Society | tons with perfect safety. The lifting offains for the Promotion of Industry and Commerce are 14 inches thick, while both the cheeks and in Russia." Hithorto, says the report, Russia libs are of wrought from. Besides the principal has possessed a very insufficient number of crune, an auxiliary is provided for lifting 10 merchant ships for the requirements of her tons and under at a much more rapid rate trade, if the vessels of the companies, which than the larger one. Bro more or less artificially maintained by arge subsidies from the State, are not taken into consideration. The number of the merchant ships properly so called is small, Government at various times during the past two hundred years to promote the interests of trade in this respect do not lead to the desired result. In Finland, on the other hand, the piercantile marine has been considerably developed during the past few years. At anne time Russia possesses many advantages which should incilitate the establishment of a mercantile marine, such as a long coast line, a maritime population, and sufficient freights. After the report was read, it was unanimously resolved, on the motion of one of the members of the society, to request the Government to have the matter investigated by a special com-

A-"BABY WASHER." ed " a baby washer," is reported from America. the inventor as follows :- "You simply insert the begrimed and molasses-coated infant in an orifice which can be made any required size by infant are soothed by its frantic efforts to monkey. Fatigued by its destructive efforts the infant falls to sleep, while the organ attachment plays softly the ravishing melody of 'Put me in my little bed.' Then it slips into. dose of soothing syrup, and the infant glides from the machine, its male pared; its mair combed, if it has any, ready-for the habiliments rendered necessary by the fall of our first parents." With the addition of a little combe brought to a speady close, and its body packed in lime ready for deposit it some secluded nook in Peckham or Camberwell, this machine would be invaluable at our English baby-farms, and would no doubt be generally adopted .-Pail Mall Gazette.

T'LE TIOHBORNE TRIAL. 185TH DAY-11TH DECEMBER Evidence having been given by many witaceses to shew that Luie, the witness introduced convicted of felony, an adjournment had been lengaged with the Sherwood Forest (Gentlemen and indeed stated, that the course taken by the four seasons. He made his debut at Lord's in defendant's counsel would depend upon the the match The Young (or under thirty-six not know the name of the barber's shop, nor the Herzog, the well-known deputy for Agran stated by the principal medical officer of years of age), on July 29th, 30th, and 81st, Chatham Convict Prison, and it, was identical 1850-scoring 6 and 1, and bowling out old the case as it stood," and upon that the Court | natil 1872, when he resigned his attnation for at once committed Luie to prison, that he might | the purpose of finally settling down in his busibe prosecuted for perjury, observing, at the ness as an innkeeper. It was in this same time, that this did not at all interfere year he had the misfortune to lose his

> nrged that, therefore, it was not to be supposed slip in the same innings. He also did a most that he had got Luie to give false eviden e for remarkable, bowling performance against money. He went on to account, he said, for Yorkshire when playing with his own county men who had given evidence in favour of the 1863; he sent down 23 (sixteen maiden) overs said, were not beroes enough to stand by a instrumental in Nottingham winning by six fallen man, and some had fallen away from the runs. In compliment for this fine play he was Holmes, he proceeded to suggest that he had glass shade, and a heavy purse of money. His dissipated many thousands of pounds which first season at Lord's (1854) bore proof of the had been raised for the defendant, and that judgment of Mr. J. H. Dark in selecting him then, "having sucked the orange dry, he had as one of the "ground men." For Fifteen of thrown it away." The Judges upon this M.C.C. and Metropolitan Clabs, he took four observed that it was a very serious charge, that wickets in twenty-five (sixteen maiden) overs; there was no evidence in support of it, that if in the two Surrey Club matches combined, he my such money was ever ruised the defendant took sixteen wickets, and in the two Cammust know how and where, it was raised and bridge matches, he secured twenty-one wickets. could produce evidence of it, which they invited He also played in that, M.C.C. v. Eussex him to do; but after a conference with match in which hir, Haygarth made his first his client, Mr. Kenealy dropped the topic, and acquaintance with a " pair of spectacles," and he then urged that, as the defendant, after took a dozen wickets, as well asscoring 27 runs. Holmes had thrown up his case, had called In 1851, too, Grundy first took part in the him an "arrant acoundrel," it was not likely North v. South and Gentlemen v. Players he could call Holmes as his witness. (At a matches, in the two former making 51 runs, and later period of the day Mr. Kenealy stated that (in the return match) taking fourteen wickets, his olient had corrected the statement be had and in the latter scoring 57 runs and taking made as a mistake.) Then, as to his not have six wickets. Two of his best performances for ing called Moore, the last valet of Roger Tich. the Club were, perhaps, those in 1864, when borne, he auggested that the defendant bad both Middlesex and Norfolk each scored but

tions he made in his former speech,

swung completely round in 51 minutes with a pressure of 401b. of steam. The engine by has been completed, at a cost of £7,481, to the entire satisfaction of the trustees and their that about 22 years ago the present 50 ton crane, which stands on the same arm of Victoria Harbour, was completed by Measrs. Caird & Co., Greenock, at a cost of £3,000. This crane was then, as the new 70-ton one is at present, the largest steam crane in Europe, and these orrenmetances are most creditable to pinking from time to time, such ample provision for the requirements of their port. The new crune bus 60 volters, while the 50-ton one has only 20. After being awang with the guaranteed weight of 70 tone, the crune was anbacquently weighted with 81, and thereafter-THE RUSSIAN MERCANTILE MARINE, with 91 tons, and in both cases it raised the A report on the present condition of the ponderous mass with apparent case. The con-

COMPLETION OF A 70-TON STEAM

CRANE AT VICTORIA HARBOUR.

(Glasgow Herald.)

steam crane constructed on the east arm of

Victoria Marbour, Greenook, by Mesers, James

Paytor & Co., Birkenhead, for the Greenook

Harbour Trust, was formally tested in presence

beight of the palley above the copping is 67

feet. The crane is placed upon a pedestal of

of the majority of the Greenoak trustees and

On the afternoon of the 9th December, the

THE PURCHASE SYSTEM

(Telegraph.)

seems like a leaf out of the records of the past.

A new General Order from the Horse Guarda

In the good old times, when officers in our Army could "purchase steps," when the price of each post was regulated by the Crowil, and the transaction was as clearly and legally recognised as the purobase and sale of beef or. bacon, in open market, there grew up, as will be perfectly remembered, a system of overregulation prices. Steps in crack regiments were quoted at fancy figures; and naturally, as they were articles deluze, limited in number, and contended for by rich young men. In.vain did successive Commanders-in-Ohief endeavour to abate the evil; warnings were followed by menuces, and promises and pledges were repeatedly extorted. Still the custom went on, and though an officer might obtain his A most useful invention for nursery use, call. promotion from the Horse Guards on payment of the regulation price, yet he was "cut" where it has been putented. It is described by at mess if he kept within the letter of the law and refused the extra premium. Finally, the irregular and illegal transactions were condoned as regards the past; the grants made in way accidents in the United Kingdom, (2) by turning for ten minutes a cog-wheel with compensation under Mr. Cardwell's Bill took ship wrecks on the cousts of the United King- electric attachments. The child glides gently into full account the over-regulation value of ant did not appear, but a note was handed in Lee-tam-shan stated that he was employ-dom, and (3), by being run over and killed in the down a highly polished inclined plane; his lips the commissions. But the whole practice of in which he admitted the debt and pleaded ed by the defendant as a gardener, and on the streets of London. These tables suggest that are met at its terminence by an india-rubber purchase—regular or extraneous—was declared Lee-tam-shan stated that be was employ- dom, and (3), by being run over and killed in the down a highly polished inclined plane; his lips, the commissions. But the whole practice of 21st November last the defendant said to him, the very heat place to resort to for security is tube, from which the infant can draw factors at the same time to be utterly illegal in future, Judgment for plaintiff with immediate exe- he would take him to Little Hongkong, to get the sea, even in su-called "coffin ships" in the nourishment of the purest and most invigorat. and our army has now been placed for some ing character, secured for the special purpose years on the simple basis of promotion for with him. The defendant took him on boards what trustworthy from railway companies, we at great expense from a choice breed of Al. merit, and for merit alone. It is still found, a steamer, which he afterwards found went to find 1,145 lives lost on railways in the United derney kine, raised on the estate of her Majesty however, that, by hook or by crook, the old mischief may come back. It is thought that if in this compartment, which is lined with plate. the course of promotion drifts, as it possibly sinter officer to retire, by offering him a sum Defendant said he had paid rent to last wit. the defendant took him to a house, which he of the whole number of deaths of British and with a nickel-plated combined tooth-cutter, money; and in our old Indian Army the practice nail-knife, rattle, and tack-hammer, which is had been organised into a system of graduated thrust into the baby's hand by an automaton contributions from all juniors favourably affected by any change. To preclude as far as possible-the uprising of a new-old mischiel of this kind, there has been issued from the Horse Gands a copy of a solemn declaration, that in the third compartment. Here the baby is future must be made by every officer on promotion. Similar engagements must be taken on transfer or on restoration to full pay. It is probable that this barrier against a renewal of the purchase system will be more efficacious than the earlier rules. Formerly, the authoritles permitted purchase to a certain extent, and in trying to represe its exuberance signally failed. Now they are opposed to it altogether, in principle and in practice, and thus armed may be able to effectually shut out any revival of the old and evil absurdity by which posts of responsibility and honour were given not to the fittest but to the richest man

DEATH OF "JEM" GRUNDY, THE CRICKETER. The Sporting Life, in noticing the death of Jan. Grundy, the cricketer, says :- Grundy, by Mr. Whalley to the defendant, and recognised who was a most worthy man, was born at New by him as the man who had picked him up at Radford, year Nottingham, on March 5th, 1824, son in 1854, was at that time in this country, so that he was in bis 50th year. Having acand had been so for many years, known as quired considerable proficiency in the art of Lungren, and that be had been repeatedly bowling as a youth, so early as 1843 he was illowed to the defendant's counsel to afford of Nottinghamshire) Ulub, whilst in the sucthem time to consider what course they should | coeding year he played for Nottingham v. the pursue, and it was arminged that in the mean- | Sheffield Wednesday Ulub, scoring 5 and 6 runs time an inspection of the person of Luie should and bowling two wickets. (No record is made be made, in the presence of medical uses on the become we have of the match of the bowboth sides, in order to see whether any marks ler's name when a catch was made.) He was on him corresponded with the marks on the engaged in 1841 by the Earl of Leicester, at person of the convict, and it was understood, Holkham. Hall, Norfolk, and remained there result of the inspection. The result was now | years of age) v. The Old (or over thirty-six with the description of the convict Lungren, Tom Box for a cypher, as well as catching Guy added to which, the medical witness swore posi- and Mr. Alfred Mynn at obver-slip. In the tively to the identity of Luie. Thereupon Mr. following year he became attached to the bow Kenealy simply stated that he "must leave ling staff at Lord's, with which he remained " with the exercise of the Secretary of State's wife, and it is said that the event preyed on his power of withdrawing the licence which appear- mind more or less up to the hour of his death. ed to have been so scandalously abused." Mr. In 1862, being so satisfied with his services, the Kenealy, bowever, then resumed his addition to committee of the Marylebone Club gave him a the jury, taking it up at the point at which it benefit, which in a monetary point of view, was, had been interrupted by the evidence against we believe, a great success. It was thought at Luie, and pursuing his observations as before, one time he would also get one from the comcomplaining of the co-ree and conduct of the mittee of the Nottingham County Olub, but mossoution, and making no reference to the this he did not. The best score ever obtained evidence of Luie until he came to a letter of by Grundy in a first-class match was made at it appeared that Mr. Holmes, his attorney, had Gentlemen and Players against the Gentlemen by a "spy" of his, communicated with some of Oxford University, 103 (bowled Munro). He men who had said they were saved from the also scored 51 (not out) for the United All-Bella and picked up at Cape Hatteris, and had Lengland Eleven against the same University naked them to explain how they could have and on the same ground, in the summer of been picked up there when the boat was picked 1857. Later on, viz., in the year 1865, in the on near Rio, and that they had explained it by match. United All-England Eleven v. All-Engsaying that a heavy sea had swept away the boat | land Eleven, at Lord's, he succeeded in delivernear Rio. The defendant wound up in this letter ing no less than twenty-one maiden overs in we are providing it no longer. And we should by hoping that God would punish those who had succession, whilst previously to this (in 1857) perspinded the men to commit perjury; and as no he not only bowled 30 (nineteen maidens) overs anch men were called at the last trial, Mr. Kenealy for 15 rons and six wickets, in the match M.C.C. drew the inference that the defendant had and Ground v. Sussex, at Lord's, but kept refused to avail himself of false evidence, and wicket, long-stopped, stood point, and short

> written that he defied him, which he would not twenty rane in one innings, and when, against have done if he was an impostor; but he would the former county, he bowled thirteen (eightrather have sought to conciliate him and get maiden) overs for 10 runs and five wickets, and his evidence, on which the Lord Chief Justice ugainst Norfolk, cleven the maiden) overs for observed that there was no proof that the des 9 runs and seven wickets. In that same year, Jendant ever had defied Moore, but only that he at Nottingham, and for his native county said so, and, on the contrary, be bad called against Survey, be, in the second innings, sent

Vessels Advertised as lawing.

EXPERIMENTS WITH MUSQUITOS: Some interesting experiments with musiquitos have lately bean made by Professor Mayer in the United States, who, at a session of the Academy of foreners, at the Steven's Institute, Hoboken, the other day, gave an account of discoveries with regard to these insects. said that by placing a male musquito under the interescipe, and sounding various notes of tuning forks in the range of a sound given by the female musquito, the various fibres of the antonne of the music musquito vibrated symputhetically to these various sounds. The longest fibres vibrated sympathetically to the grave knowledge required to draw the line between notes, and the short vibrated sympathetically true and false. I have, then, no repugnance to to the higher notes: the fact that the necturnal insects have highly organized antenia, while the diarant cases have not, and also the fact that the anatomy of these parts of insects shows of the Almighty as Oreator and Governor of the a highly developed nervous organization, leads to the inference that these facts form the first sure basis of reasoning in reference to the nature of the auditory apparatus of insects. The experiments were also extended in a direction which added new facts to the physiology of the senses. If a souorous, impulse strike a fibre so that the direction of the impulse is in the direction of the fibre, then the fibre remains stationary. But if the direction of the sound is at right-angles to the fibre, the fibre vibrates with its maximum intensity. Thus, when gound strikes the fibrils of an inscot, those one natepna are ribrated more powerfully that the fibrils on the other, and the insect naturally turns in the direction of that antenna which is most strongly shaken. The fibrils on the other antenna are now shaken with more and more intensity, until the insect, baving turned bie body so that both untenna vibrate with equal intensity, has placed his body in the direction.

THE "LAW OF HELL." (Daily, News:)

Dr. Kenealy, in his speech on behalf of the

of the sound. Experiments under the micro-

scope show that the minsquito can thus detect to

within five degrees the position of the sonorous

defendant, said-Gentlemon of the jury, this prosecution is founded on a principle cutirely noknown to English law and to the principles of justice-uninely, that guilt is to be taken for granted, and innocence assumed to be a thing viricit does not exist. The whole of the opening statement for the prosecution was based upon the idea of guilt; the whole of the cylence for Some of the warlike tribes in India, when one RINGS: the defence has been treated by the prosecution as if it were evidence of crime. The only, excuse, if there can be any excuse at all such a proceeding, is that the mind of the lending counsel had, by his own admission, been so imbued with prejudice for years that he was unable to divest himself of it when he came into this court to press this charge against. the defendant. Now, gentlemen, allow me to call your attention to the extraordinary language which has been used. In ordinary criminal prosecutions, so far as I onn romember them, no case is pursued against the prisoner as being conclusive of his guilt. The person who conducts the proceedings for the Crown makes his statement to the jury, and if that statemont is supported by evidence, that is all that to charge. Obeying it as such, they went to the Crown requires. It is unusual to preface certain death on the ramparts of the fort. The the statement made against the nocused by army coming up stormed the place, and after QUEEN'S ROAD & STANLEY STREET, language expressive of what is called a force goic conclusion of guilt. It is not usual for counsel in a criminal prosecution to resort to any of those arguments, very free broad red ribbon, a gostic tribute from the quently fullacies, which are put forward at Sepoys to the heroism of their dead enemies. Niel Prius, when simply a civil matter is in dispute; and in my bumble judgment language of this kind is totally without precedent in any proceedings of a criminal nature that I have Paint, 3000 to 36031, each and credit; Bev ever heard of or read of, except, as I said yes- neres, \$597; to \$6011; Malwa, \$600 to \$605, terday, in those days when Mr. Attorney- ough and credit. General Coke thought it decent and right to insult the accused by the use of the words to which I called your attention. Mr. Hawkins said : "What do you think now of the truth of the story—what do you think of the ignorance 1,350 cases Preserves, 150 casks Preserves, 156 he betrays? Does it not show the existence of a page. Chinaware, 150 rolls. Matting, 154 bales fraudulent design? Why this ignorance of Silk Refuse, 459 pkgs. Canes (249,000 pieces), Upton? Why, when he went to Melbourne, did 218 pkgs. Sundries. he take Bogle, who was living in a house of his own, to live with him? Why did he do that? Does it not show that there was a design from thefirstiopossess himselfulthose estates? That Ibs.; Scented Orange Pekoe, 240 lbu; Colong, will alone explain much that is otherwise inex. 5,040 lbs.; Pouchong, 1,140 lbs. - Total; plicable. The intention of committing this great | 173,194 lbs. radd is the only explanation of his conduct." That is certainly a doctrine which is quite new to me in connection with a criminal prosecution. On London .-I never before heard, nover before read, of such a doctrine as that. I never before thought it possible that a jury would be asked at the outset of a case to take the crime charged. for granted, and torture every part of the evidence which might be given either on one side or the other, with the view of sup. On NEW YORK. porting that, foregone concluson. Gentlemen. I say this law has never been the law of On Homeny .- Blank, 3 days' sight 220 England, and in my judgment it is the law of ON Unicurra. Bunk, 3 days sight, 220 hell to assert that people are guilty at the out- ON SHANGHAL .set of a trial.

The Lord Chief-Justice-I really think, Dr. Kenealy, we must interfire. It is not right to use such language as that in a court of justice. In the first place, who knows unything about flongkong and Shanghai Bank Shayes -48 the law which may prevail in hell? It is taking a great deal upon one's self to say what that Union Insurance Society of Canton, now shares compelled to coin to express the numerous oblaw is. At all events, talking of the law of hell in a court of justice is what I never beard be- Ohian Tunders' Insurance Company's Saures in science generally, which the rapid advance

Dr. Kenealy-My lord, if you take upon China and Japan Marine Insurance-Tis. 90 | here given in szienso. Each and every word is The Lord Chief Justice-I take upon myself Chinese Insurance Company. \$172 per share. to forbid counsel to use language which is, I Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares Both the Court and Punti pronunciations are toe name of Hand KER. won't say blasphemous, but indecorous a d im-

Dr. Kenealy-My lord, I say that if your lordship or any other judge takes upon himself to prescribe to counsel what lunguage or what The Lord Chief Justice No. certainly not

scribe arguments, but I do take upon myself to . Shares-224 per cent. premium, say that such language as you have just used Shanghai Steam Navigation Company-Tls.106

The Lord Chief-Justice (with energy)-Sir, have not the least occusion to resort to expressions of that kind, which may shook some cars Indo-Chinese Sugar Company-00 per cent. present if they do not shock yours.

Dr. Kenealy-My lord, I have care fastidious as those of envone, I hope.

The Lord Ubief-Justice—Perhaps you may have, but it is the business of the Bench to correct any deviation from propriety, and I will not permit such language to be used in this

Dr. Keneuly-Gentlemen, no language of mine could be sufficiently strong to express my to local trader. abborrence of the doctrine to which I alluded; no language of mine could be sufficiently choog to travelling trader. powerful to express my atter disgust at the Red Dates, 100 bags, at Tls. 2.3.0.0, by presentation of the case before the jury in that Chun-chong to travelling trader. manner. By the law of England every man has Dried Lily Flowers, 20 bags, at \$12.30, by mese. In this respect the work will be found Also a few copies of the GRAMMAR of the stored thereon: from time immemorial been presumed to be in- Chun-chong to local trader. mocent till proved to be guilly. By the prac. - White Sessamums, 20 lings, at \$4.00, Kin-tye. tice adopted in this prosecution the prisoner loong to local trader. bas been presumed to be guilty, and has been Animal Tallow, 20 packages, at Tis, 6.1.0.0, by called upon to prove his innoconce. That, I Kin-tye to local trader. say, is a scandal; and it would be a scandal in Red Dates, 120 bags, at Tls. 2.3.1.0, by Kwong. China it cannot but be invaluable occasionally. [1] HE Proprietor of Wing Res Shop begs to [1] HIS Company, with its Head Office at day. All Parcel Packages should be marked to any cartbly tribunal, and it would be well fitted | wing shing to local trader. for such a tribunul as that to which I have al- Cardomons, (inferior,) 20 bags, at \$20.80, by quarte pages, luded, I believe there is not a man in England Tye foong-shun to local trader. who is not proud of that glorious doctrine of Yellow Pous, 500 pieuls, at \$1.90, by Chunour English law that innocence must be always chong to travelling frader. taken to exist until its opposite is proved to dielon Speds, 50 bage, at \$4.40, by Wing-yee-

MR. GLADST NE ON EVOLUTION. The Prime Minister bas addressed the fol The natives of gertain districts in Western lowing letter to the Contemporary Review for

"10. Downing street, Whitehall, Nov. S. 1873.
"My Dear Sir,—I observe in the Contonilowing words are quoted from an middress Upon the ground of what is termed evolu-

"The distinguished writer in the Review says

counties to increase their stock of pledgeable conspicuously the champion (or exponent) of articles in this mouner. A person was charged the anti-scientific view, that the words may be before the mayor and magistrates of Notting- regarded as typical. To go as directly as may ham with drunkenness, under the following be to my point, I consider this judgment upon strange circumstances:-An assistant in a my declaration to be founded on an assumption pawabroker's shop in the town stated that on or belief that it contains a condemnation of the previous evening two men entered the sliop evolution, and of the doctrine of unchangeable ind-placed upon the counter a large bundle. lawa. I submit that it contains no such thing scourely sewn up. They immediately left with. Let me illustrate by saying. What if I wrote as out speaking. Witness felt the bundle to dis- follows :- Upon the ground of what is termed cover what it contained, when it rolled off the liberty, flagrant crimes have been committed; counter on to the floor, and a moun was heard and (likewise) in the name of law and order, human rights have been trodden under foot. I should not by thus writing condemn liberty, or condemn law and order, tained no money on this novel pledge, and the but condemn only the inferences that men draw, or say they draw, from them. Up to that the parallel is exact: and I hope it will be seen that Mr. Spencer has inadvertently put upon my words a meaning they do not bear. Using the parallel thus far for the sake of clearness L'carry it no farther. For while I am ready to able laws I had rather be excused. The words "Corinne' are the best for me : 'Jo ne wenk no

with which I think Madame de Stael ends la blamer ni l'absurder. Before I could presume to give an opinion on evolution or on unchangeable laws, I should wish to know more clearly and more fully than I yet know the mouning attached to those purases by the chief apostles of the doctrines; and very likely, even after accomplishing this preliminary stage. I might find invest insufficiently, supplied with the any opnolosions whatever legitimutely, arising upon well-ascertained facts or well-tested reasonings; and my complaint is that the functions World are denied upon grounds which, whatever be the extension given to the phrasus I have quoted, appear to me to be atterly and manifestly insufficient to warrant such denial. I am desirous to liberate myself from a supposition

alien, I think, to my whole habits of mind and life. Bat I do not desire to effect this by the method of controversy; and if Mr. Spencer docs not sec. or does not think that he has mie taken the meaning of my words, I have no more darts to throw; and will do myself, indeed, the pleasure of concluding with the frank avowal that his manner of handling what he must naturally consider to be a gross piece of folly, is us for as possible from being offensive. - Buliove me most faithfully yours,

"W. E. GLADSTONE. "To the Editor of the Contemporary Revision." MISCELLANEOUS.

The smallest women look hopefully to Hymen A HOARDING ESTABLISHMENT.-A Curpen-MOTTO FOR A COMMERCIAL INN.--Vive la

Two little girls were comparing progress: cateobiem study. "I have got to original sin," said one. "How far have you got?" "Me! Oh, I'm way beyond redemption," said the

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of their men fell in battle after showing extraordinary courage, decorate his wrist with a red silk throud if he be a private, a narrow ribbon if he be an officer, and a breader; one as the rank of the dead rises. Not many win this honour, and there is no mourning for those whose death is thus repaid. An English army marching upon Lucknow came upon a strong bill fort, which it was necessary to reduce. A sergeant and seven men constitute the advance. guard on the march, and when the close proximity of the fort was discovered, the buglers with the main body sounded the recall us an order for the sergeant to withdraw his guard. and join his regiment. The little squad mistook the bugle sound, and thought it an order some hours of desperate fight, took it. They there found the dead bodies of the sergeaut and all his men, and around each wrist was the

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Dr. Kenealy-I say the language is proper. Houghong Gus Company's Shares-\$70 per Chalcons' Vocabularly contains about 16,000 as above, where a list of prices of articles will I say it is not. I say it shad not be used. You Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares 55 per cent discount.

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HE above Granite-floored DOUK has lately been LENGTHENED to 400 feet over all and is now capable of receiving vessels up to 380 feet on the keel. The brendth of the Dock at the bottom is 40 feet, at the top 80 feet; and the width at the entrance is 56 feet: Depth of Principal Agent, water on the sill 13 feet at average near, and 17 feet at average spring tides.

The Dock has a Cuisson Gate, and is pumped out by steam. A new FOUNDRY for large iron and brass onstings bus recently been added. The Machine Shop contains a 12 inch Screw Cutting Gap-lathe, Small Lathes, Drilling and Screwing Machines, Steam Saw Mill, Large

Dry Godowns are on the premises, available for stowage of cargo, &c. A large stock of Timber, Metal, and other Dock yard Material always on hand. Yessels docked for examination, remetalled resparred, repairs also done in harbour; une iron ships and steamers cleaned and painted, at moderate charges. Particulara gan be obtained at the Dock, or on application to the under-

The Steam Tug Woosung is in thorough working order, and is available at all times to tow vessele to or from sea, at reasonable rates. JOHN FURSTER & Co. tf 1039, Foothow, 18th June, 1873. NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR

SAIGON.SINGAPORE.BATAVIA.POIN DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES

ST. DENIS AND PORT LOUIS. N THURSDAY, the 29th January, 1874, at noon, the Company's Steamship AMAZONE." - Commandant CHAMPENOIS, with MAILS. PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Fort for the above

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal General Post Office, places of Europe. Shipping orders will be granted till noon cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 r.m. on the 28th that henceforward the Postuge on Letters ad-January, 1874. (Parcels are not to be sent dressed to Russia, when marked to be forwardon board; they must be left at the Agency's ed via Southampton, will be reduced to 40 cents Office.) Contents and value of Packages are per half-ounce. For further particulars, apply at the Comonny's Office

C. BERTRAND. Principal Agent. Hongkong, 15th January, 1874. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA,

BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI TERRANEAN PORTS, AND SOUTHAMPTON: BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "AFOCA." Captain -, with Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places on THURSDAY, the 5th February, at noon. Cargo will be received on board until noon Specie and Parcels at the office until 2 P.M. on the 4th idem. For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong CONTENTS AND VALUE OF

PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.

and Value of the Packages for the Overland connection with the Muil Steamers from this Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading or themselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from the incor-Superintendent rectuess in such declaration. The Company reserve the option of forwarding all goods shipped by their Steamers for Europe through Egypt, either by rail, or by Canal in their own Steamers, or in vessels employed for the purpose. Shippers are particularly requested to note the torms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

A. Molver, Superintendent. Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation dis Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 26th January, 1874. U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY THROUGH TO NEW YORK, YIA PANA-MA, TOUGHING AT TOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THURSDAY, the 12th February, at 3 P.M., postage, which must be paid in advance, on lettaking Passengers, Mails, and Freight, for Ja- ters addressed to Zanzibar, Mosambique, Delapan, the United States, and Europe. Through Passenger Tickets und Bills of Ascension, will be 20 cents for each half-ounce, Lading are issued for transportation to Yoko- nowspapers 2 cents each. bama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to ports in Mexico, Control and South America, and to New York and Europe, VIA PANAMA. | General Post-Office, A Steamer of the Company will leave Shanghai, via the Inland Sea Ports, about the same date, and make close connection at Yokohama. At New York and Aspinwell, Passengers have selection of various lines of Steamers to Ohins by Private Ships will be forwarded to England, France, and Germany. Roturn Passage Tickets issued at a reduction of 20 per cent. on regular rates. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 11th proximo. Farcel Puckages will be received at the Office until o P.M. of the same

T. A. HARRIS, Hongkong, January 12th, 1874.

For further information as to Passage and

address in full; value of samo is required.

Post-Office Notifications.

For Swatow and Amoy.—Per Lap Tek, today, the 29th inst., at 7.30 A.M. For Shanghai - Per Egeria, to-day, the 29th petant, at 1 30 r.m. For Manila,-Per Formosa, to-morrow, the 30th instant, at 3.30 P.M.

MAILS BY THE "FRENCH PACKET," The French Mail Packet "AMAZONE" will be disputched on THURSDAY, the 29th inst., at noon, with the Mails-To and through the United Kingdom via Marssiller; to France and other Continental States (in a closed mail to France), to Saigon, Singapore, Galle, Australia and New Zenland,. Aden, Seychelles, Reunion and Mauritius, Sucz and Alexandria. The Post Office will be open for the reception

of Ordinary Lietters. Newspapers, Books, &c., nutil 11 A.M. on the 29th instant, after which no Letters can be received. Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 28th instant. Letters for Registration will be received until 10 A.M. on the 29th instant. F. W. MITOHELL, Postmaster General

General Post Office, Hougkong, 17th January, 1874.

MAILS BY THE "ENGLISH PACKET." will be disputched with the usual Mails for Enrope Ac. on THURSDAY, the 5th February;

at noon.9 Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 4th February. The Post-Office will be open until 6 P.M. or

he 4th February. Letters, &c., may be posted during the night in the box left open for their reception. Letters for registration will be received until 10 A.M. on the 5th February. Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on-the 5th February, without late fee.

Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 5th February, will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee of 18 cents each as well as the Postnge The latest time for posting Letters at this. Office is 11 A.M., and for Newspapers, Books, or-Patterns 10 a.m. on the 5th February.

Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 11.30 A.M. to the time of sailing, on payment of a Late Fee of 48 cents each in addition F. W. MITCHELL

Postmaster General General Post-Office, Hongkong, 26th January, 1874.

It is hereby notified that arrangements have been concluded, under which correspondence addressed to Austria, and the several States of the Continent, may beneeforward be transmitted by means of the British Mail Packets between this Office and the Austrian Post Offices at Trieste and Alexandria, at the following Rates of Postage, viz.:-

Austria, Germany, and Turkey 22 cents. Belgiam, Denmark, Holland, Switzerland, Moldavia, Waliachia, Norway, Sweden, and Russia 26 , FOR NEWSPAPERS AND PRICES OVERENT.

Anstria, Germany, Turkey, Belgium, Switzerland, Moidavia, Wallachia, and Ser-Denmark, Holland, Norway, Sweden, and Russia,.........6"

FOR BOOK PACKETS AND PACKETS OF For each 4 ounces. Austria, Germany, and Turkey, ... 10 cents. Belgium, Switzerland, and Austrian Provinces.......12 Denmurk, Holland, Norway, and

Letters may be registered to the above name places for a fee of twelve cents each in addition to the postage. The postage and registration fee on Registered letters must be prepaid The prepayment of the postage on ordinary letters is optional.

patterns, is compulsory. Correspondence intended to be forwarded by this route must be superscribed "via Trieste." F. W. MITCHELL. Posimustor General.

The prepayment of the postage on News-

papers, other printed papers, and packets of

Hongkong, 7th January, 1874. "It is hereby notified for general information

-Postmuster-General:General Post Office. Hongkong, 18th September, 1872.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 34 cents per half-ounce, prepayment optional. Unpaid letters will be subject to an additional charge. on delivery.

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General General Post-Office,

Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873. The Post Office of Victoria (Australia) having given notice to the General Post Office in London that articles of Jewellery received in that Colony are chargeable with Customs Duries, the undersigned considers it necessary to make this Regulation known to the Public, and to state that any letters or packets containing such articles sent through the Post are liable, with their contents, to be forfeited.

F W. MITCHELL, Postmaster Gerenal. General Post-Office, Hongkong, 2nd January, 1873.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Denmark, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 28 cents per half-onnce, prepayment optional. Unpaid letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery. F. W. MITCHELL.

Postmaster General General Post-Office, Hongkong, 22nd February, 1878.

It is hereby notified that the rates of postage chargoable henceforth on Letters addressed to the United Kingdom, and to places beyond the Upited Kingdom, when forwarded by French Packet, will be the same as those chargeable on Letters forwarded by British Packet via Brin-F. W. MITCHELL

Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 29th April, 1872.

It is herely notified that a line of British Mail Contract Packets has been established between Aden and Zanzibar, which, with connecting lines, will afford a regular means of conveyance of correspondence from Hongkong for the foreign ports on the East African Const. as THE S. S. " ALASKA" will leave Hongkong | well as for Natal and the Cape Colony; St. Hefor Sun Francisco, vin Yokobama, on leng and Ascension, and that henceforward the gon Bay, Natal, the Cape of Good Hope, and

> F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster-General. Hongkong, 12th May, 1873.

Arrangements having been made under which Mails for London arriving at Sucz from destination via Brindisi, it is hereby notified that the rates of postage, which must be paid in advance, on correspondence addressed to the United Kingdom so forwarded, will be as follows, viz. :--

For Newspapers...... 8 , each. I not exceeding 1 ounce 4 cents. For Books and Patterns every additional4 ... 12 ... W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 20th December, 1871, Insurances.

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Extracts.

THE SUN DIAL. (From " Vignetles in Rhyme," by A. Dobson, Tis an old dial, dark with many a stain ? In summer crowned with drifting orchard

Tricked in the autumn with the yellow rain, And white in winter like a marble tomb: And round about its gray, time-enten brow Lean letters speak-a worn and shattered row: "I am a Shade: a Shadowe too arte thou? I marke the Time : saye, Gossip, dost the

Here would the ringdoves linger, head to head And here the spuit a silver course would run, Beating old Time; and here the peacock spread His gold-green glory, shutting out the sun.

RELIGIOUS SONGS QE THE

The song oftenest sung during the second year of the war was that rare melody, Rol Jordan, Roll. Sometimes it began : Massa Linkom sittin on de tree ob life. - Wat hip Jordan roll; Gen'l Fremont sittin' un de tree ob life. Roll, Jordan, Roll.

And so on, through a list or all the public men | to you for it." dear to the negro heart. At another time it began with the name of the pastor of the church, or the leader of the meeting, and enumerated a dozen or twenty brethren and sisters as to whose religious standing there could be no doubt. I remember that, on one occasion, a singer introduced the name of "Brudder Brown," when the singing was interrupted by a woman with; " Does you mean Brudder Peter Brown? Caze if you mouns Fairfax Brown I calls for order " A satisfactory explanation followed, whereupon the conductor of the meeting asked another brother to "lead in prayer for Fairfax Brown, and pray that he may return from his backslidin." Frequently the song began with, Lo'd Jesus sittin' on de tree ob life,

Watchin' Jordan rol : at the placing there of certain public men; ing and reading in the hammock there -Atlantic Monthly for December.

AMATEUR WRITERS

and even in the case of Shakespeare, though sit down, and out and drink among the burhis plays made money, his authorship was dock leaves, and then watch the quiet house, highly of in-his professional capacity. These bad inns, bad food, bad washing, bad bods are names which occur to me whilst writing and fleas, fleas, fleas? rapidly. If I took time to reflect, I should find a bost of other instances of amateurs who have succeeded in literature; but this is need- may be sins-though I know there are no less. It is enough to suggest a truth so ob- very heavy ones-in that fine old house opvious. It can require no accumulation of evidence to show, what all men's experience proves, that the faculty of expressing one's self well in written language is by no means that the faculty of expressing one's self well in written language is by no means that the faculty of expressing one's self well in written language is by no means that the faculty of expressing one's self well in written language is by no means that the faculty of expressing one's self well in written language is by no means that the faculty of expressing one's land, there are at least no flear.

Thing of that, wandering friend; and of Oanals, and Goods on board such Vessels, that the faculty of expressing one's land, there are at least no flear. self well in written language is by no means peculiar to those who earn their living by it. The contributors to our best reviews are not cold one when you rise to-morrow morning; sy FIRE. invariably writers by profession, and their and in content and thankfulness, stay in editors are only too happy to receive ar- England, and be clean -" Prose Idylls," by ticles written by intelligent men in the inter- | Charles Kingeley. (Macmillan.) vals of quite different avocations. The last phrase reminds me of a book called "Essays written in the Intervals of Business," which has passed through many editions,—a fact which of itself proves that a man of business ture. - From " Thoughts About Art," by Philip Gilbert Hamerton.

THE SEA-HORSE

and of which our best learned scientific men just outside the Porta del Popolo, is univerhave known but little. The cuttle-fish with sally resorted to, and justly admired, not only its long tentacules and its powerful suckers, on account of the works of art it contains, its ink-bag, and its long but doubtful history, but also for the beauty of its grounds, exwill continue to have the attention of the lending over a large tract of land finely laid the natural history of various fishes are con- a fountain, there a splendid group of stone these conditions in all cases, but already they Raphael, contains some remarkable sculpare perfect in many. In the latter cases relitures executed by Bernini at the age of eighferred to, the student of natural history may teen; they represent the fable of Apollo and sit beside the tanks and test all the conditions | Daphne, and although executed in that exof unimal life. Such are the advantages of eggerated style which characterizes all the the large aquaris. One of the most interest- | works of this master, are yet wonderfully connection with the birth of sea horses (hip- gradual metamorphosis of the nymph rooted chief building is now in the course of erection; regret that so skilful a hand should not have have had for some time a large number of been able to curb his too wayward genius, and these creatures in temporary tanks in a produce something more worthy of his fame building erected for the reception of such than the wind-tossed angels in impossible dramarine and fresh water nuimals as do not peries which are commonly associated with require a large space, in order to accelimatize | bis name. The villa which next to the Borthem, and have them ready to remove in a ghese attracts the notice of travellers is that healthy condition to their permanent home in called Pamfili Doria, situated on the ancient with great activity, -vertically, as is the cus- and the situation more beautiful, command. tom of the parent. It hevered about the top ing a spleudid view of St. Peter's and the or two, and again soon returning to the top not contain so many works of art as some young ones followed the example of the thir- devotion of a husband to his very charming teen, until the number amounted to about two and deeply regretted English wife. The the exact number. The young of the hippo- lieve, two sisters, daughters of Lord Shreivsnest. It has been supposed that the young beloved wife, traced on the spot she once occasionally return to the pouch for protec, adorned, and viewed from the windows of the in length, and singularly exact in their like- reared to perpetuate a name. The chief ness to their parents: the only noticeable dif- attraction of the Villa Ludovisi is Gueroino's ference is that the eyes are unduly prominent; fresco of Aurora driving away night; a beautiin every other respect, as also in their mode ful and poetically treated subject. The of swimming and peculiarities of habit, they Villa Medici, anely situated on the Pincian are the counterparts of their seniors. Per- Hill, is now occupied as the French Academy. haps in these general remarks I should refer The views from the upper rooms are mag-

Hardwicke's Science Gossip.

to the greater activity of the young, and their | nificent, and the avenue of ilexes in the

frequent visits to the top of the water - gardens is the finest I remember to have seen

in Italy .- Churchman's Shilling Mugasing.

PROFESSOR SEDGWICK Professor Sedgwick was geologizing in a luarry near a high-road in England, dressed: in a rough suit for the purpose, and striking vigorous blows with his hammer upon the rock, when a travelling carriage coming up stopped at the place, and a gentleman within beckoned to the professor to come up to the door, as he wanted to know the way to the residence of a nobleman in that locality. Prolessor Sedgwick baving answered this and thanks. The carriage drove on taking its at the following rates, subject to a discount of occupant to the nobleman's house, where he was invited as a guest. Soon after Professor Sodgwick followed him, for he was staying removed from Town, and there at that time himself .- At dinner they their Contents per cent. per annum happened to be scated near each other, and Other Dwelling Houses. soon fell into conversation. After a while used strictly as such and the gentleman, looking earnestly at Professor their Contents...... Sadgwick, observed, "I think I must have had the pleasure of sceing you before, and that not very long ago?" "Oh yes!" was the reply; "you saw me this morning, and gave me a shilling for auswering a whole string of questions, and I was much obliged

AN ENGLISH PICTURE. White chalk-fields above, quivoring bazy the heat. A park full of morry havmakers; gay red and blue waggons; stalwart berses switching off the flies; dark avenues of tall elms; groups of abele, "tossing their whispering silver to the sun;" and amid them the house. What manner of house shall it be? Tudor or Elizabethan, with oriels, mullioned windows, gables, and turrets of house shall smack of Inigo Jones or Christopher Wren; a great square red-brick mass, made light and cheerful though, by quoins high-peaked French roofs, broken by louvres and dormers, haunted by a thousand swallows pretty much everybody else of good report in | vew allers shall wander away into mysterious | on Goods stored therein. the Bible, duly elevating them to a position glooms; and out of their black arches shall on "do tree ob life, watchin' Jordan roll." At come tripping children, like white fairies, to times the white visitor could not help smiling | laugh and talk with the girl who lies dreamyet it was never otherwise than delightful to beneath the black velvet canopy of the great hear the packed audience strike the notes of cedar tree, like some fair tropic flower hangthis joyful and swinging and resonaut melody. ing from its boughs. Then they shall wander down across the smooth-shorn lawn, where the purple rhododendrops hang double, bush and image, over the water's edge, and call to us across the stream, "What sport?" and It is not too much to say that, of the great the old squire shall Beckon the keeper over writers of the world, at least one-balf have the long stone bridge, and return with him been amateurs. Chaucer and Milton were; bringing lunchequ and good als; and we will secondary to his business of theatrical manager. and lawn, and flowers, and fair human crea-Scott and Talford were both lawyers, not bred tures, and shining water, all sleeping breaths especially to literature; Kingsley is a clergy- less in the glorious light beneath the glorious man, Ricardo was a banker, so was Grote; blue, till we doze off, lulled by the murmur and John Stuart Mill was a hard-working of a thousand insects, and the rich minstrelsy servant of the East India Company. Sidney of nightingale and blackcap, thrush and dove. Dobell was a wine merchant, and followed Peaceful, graceful, complete English counthat business assiduously fifteen years? try life and country houses; everywhere author of "Tom Brown's School-days" a bar- should I exchange you, even for the sight of kow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at rister, whom I have heard solicitors speak all the Alps, for bad roads, bad carriages,

Let that last thought be enough. There may be follies, there may be sorrows, there

ROMAN VILLAS

The chief of these charming resorts are the Villa Albani, the Villa Borghese, the Villa Pamfili Doria, the Villa Ludovise, and the Ville Medici. The first of these, the Villa Albani, is the most celebrated for the works of art it contains; statues in the richest of marbles, bronze, and alabaster, collected with care by Cardinal Albani, who The establishment of aquaria at the Crys- built this noble villa to contain them. To tal Palace, Brighton, Manchester, and else. give a catalogue of these would be both and not exceed & 3 ... do. where, is likely to develop a large amount of wearisome and superfluous; but one, the ing...... public enriesity in the marvellous creatures | Antinous crowned with lotus flowers, is es- | Above 3 months | which inhabit the great deep, of which the teemed one of the most exquisite gems of and not exceed } 6 world at large has been in utter ignorance, ancient art. The Villa Borghese, situated Above 6 months the full annual rate. student, as well as of the mere lover out, so as to afford an endless variety of of the curious. Strange facts connected with I scenery. Here a temple, there a lake | here tinually being brought to light, and every pines or lexes; here an clive grove, there an day adds to the interest of the large aquaria. | avenue of cypresses, affording a sombre yet. Marine and fresh-water animals can be grateful shade; the whole carpeted with verstudied in what may be called to a large ex- dure, enriched and spangled over with the tent their natural conditions, where they may many hued anemone, and sweet with the and thereafter distribute among Policy holders exhibit their peculiar habits and instincts, breath of innumerable violets. The villa annually, in cash, ALL the profits, of the and live and breed from generation to genera- itself, besides many antiques of great beauty, Underwriting Business pro rate to amount of tion. It will probably be difficult to create and frescoes attributed, at least in part, to premium contributed. ing events connected with public aquaria has | beautiful, especially when we bear in mind the recently been referred to by the press, in early-age at which they were executed. The pocanipus brevirostris) at the temporary tanks to the earth, her extremities already turning of the Manchester Aquarium Co., Limited. into leaves and branches, whilst the body can sociation. Two thirds of the Profits are distri-It is very doubtful whether such an event yet be traced in human form, although buted annually to Contributors, whether Shareever occurred before in Great Britain, but it changing rapidly into the laurel at the em- | holders or not in proportion to the net amount is quite certain that it is the first time that | brace of the god, is certainly a marvellously of Premia contributed by each, the remaining the hippocampus has been bred in a public conceived and finally executed work, notwith, third being carried to Reserve-Fund. aquarium. The Manchester Company, whose standing its rococo style; and one can but the large building. On Monday, the 21st July, Via Aurelia, beyond St. Peter's and the Vathe curator noticed a young hippocamus rise lican. The grounds of this villa are more . Agents for the above Corporation, are upwards through the water and swim about extensive than those of the Villa Borghese, prepared to grant Insurances as follows:of the water, occasionally descending an inch adjacent country; but the villa itself does as if for air. The parents, on the contrary, others. Looking from one of the windows Policies issued for long or short periods at soldom go to the top of the water; with them into the garden beneath, the English visitor it is not a necessity. During the day thirteen is startled to see before him in living green other young ones left the pouch of the parent the simple word Mary, traced, I think, inand issued forth into the world on their own growing myrtle, carefully kept and tended.

account. On the two subsequent days other This touching memento records the love and hundred, for it was impossible to ascertain Princes Doria and Borghese married, I becaning are hatched in a pouch, which is in bury, and their memory is deservedly reall cases in the tail of the male parent, the verenced in Rome for their many virtues; over being placed there by the female as in a and this simple but evergreen inemorial of a tion or rest, but I have not been able to ascer- palace where once she dwelt, loving and tain if that be a fact or not. The young hip beloved, speaks far more of undying affection pocamus are about three-fourths of an inch than the costlest marble cenotaph ever

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of 1903 Hongkong, 2 et November, 1878,

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPAN TROM this date, until forther notice, a discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the strange shape? No: that is commonplace. | current local rates of premia will be allowed-Everybody builds Tudor houses now. Our upon insurances effected with this Company. DOUGLAS LAPBAIK & Co.,

t! 1192 Hongkong, 27th June. 1872. and windows of white Sarsden stone; with PHICKNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY HE Undersigned having been appointed and brought in the names of Moses, Joshus, and starlings. Old walled gardans, gay with Pert, are prepared to grant Policies against Elijah, David, Solomon, John, Paul, and Howers, shall stretch right and left. Clipt Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings, or DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. to 717 Hongkong, 9th November, 1868. JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE

> HE-Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire at current rates, subject to a bonus of 20 ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.tf 1801 Hongkong, 31st October, 1873.

COMPANY.

ONDON AND PROVINGIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undereigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine risks at

current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. tf 471 Hongkong, 6th March, 1868. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COM. PANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Samuel Warren is an industrious lawyer, Mr. finish and polish; Nature perfected by the Agents for the above Company at Hong-Trollope a clerk in the Civil Service, and the | wealth and art of peaceful centuries. Why | kong, Canton; Foochow, Shanghai, and Han-Current Rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

ti 1058 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. HOR Insuring Houses and other Buildings'.
Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufectur. ing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harthis also, that you will find your warm bath throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in ready when you go to bed to-night, and your FOREIGN COUNTRIES, FROM LOSS OF DAMAGE

The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are propared to grant Policies against FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any one Eirst Close Risk. GIBH, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

NOTIOE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. HROM and after this date the following rates will be charged SHORT PERIOD Insurances, VIZ:--Not exceeding Ten days t of the annual rate Not exceeding bmouth tof the annual rate Above 1 month.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.. Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. tf 675 Hongkong, 18th August, 1869. YANG TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF SHANGHAL

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS 765,000 TAELS. DOLICIES granted on Marine Bisks to all parts of the World, at current rates. This Association will, until further notice, provide out of the earnings, first for an interest dividend of 15%, for shareholders on Capital, RUSSELL & Co.,

t' 1099 Hongkong, 9th July, 1872. (LIMITED).

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tf 951 Hongkong, 17th April, 1873. THE LONDON ASSURANCE. INCORPORATED BY BOYAL CHARTER HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST A.D. 1720:

THE undersigned having been appointed MARINE DEPARTMENT. Policies at current rates, payable either here n London, or at the principal Ports of India, hina, and Australia. PIRE DEPARTMENT. current rates.

A discount of 20 % allowed. LIFE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 on reasonable terms. HOLLIDAY. WISE & Co. 1863 Hougkonir, 26th July, 1872. *CHINA TRADERS INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,

NOTICE.

IN conformity with the Specia Resolutions adopted and confirmed at the Extraordinary Meetings of Sharoholders held on the at and loth instints, altering Clauses Nos. 130, 182, and 183 of the Articles of Association. such changes to take effect from 1st November, 1871), the Net Profits of the Company will, from that date, be distributed as follows, viz. Two-thirds (2/3rds) to all contributors whether shareholders or not, in proportion to the net amount of premis contributed by One-third (1/3rd) to Shareholders generally, according to the number of shares held by AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

1 314 Hongkong, 16th February, 1872.

PRODUCE HONGKONG MARKETS. insurances. Corror Shanghai Ningpo, annieu men an an de Reported by Chinese on the 28th January, 1874. fontelfigenden den for se LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM COTTON GOODS. Shantung TAROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for SHORT PERIOD TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE. Bengal, in meres shiers inceres Corrow TARM, No. 16 a 24. per picul \$107.00 a \$117.00 197. Leadenhall Street. London 28 a 39... Sassawyne, Japan white, ESTABLISHED 1848 Gant Saratines, 7 a 74 lbs ... per plece 19.00 a 2.05 THE Undersigned is authorised to accord the unnual rates: Rice, Bongal, Corgo No. 1 8 a 8 1bs ... 2.80 a 2.15 risks on behalf of this Office, by First Olas Steamers and Sailing Ships. WHITE SHIRPITES. 50 a 60 reed... A. Molver, Agent, mill cloaned 1.53 4 1.60 2.85 4 2:40 Manilana parata area no abb ara ser mo of Homekone Int. July, 1867. 2.00 a 2.10 Warra Brorrad Doggerman per plece 2.50 a 9.66 JAVE gerebal mange ebe annere fem ben ere ## THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPAN 1.70 a 1.75 Singapore, and and parent see WHITE BROCLDES Above six months the full appual rate. 1.40 a 1.45 AMBRICAN DRILLS, 30 yards 2.40 a. 8.20 JARDINE, MATHESON & Oo. 2.10 a 2.15 ATFREBUgenter ingeriert feie menge Capital, -Two Million Strelling. GRAY T-OLOTES, 24 yds & 62 in. 7 lbs. Agents, Alliante Fire Assurance Company. 9.85 a 2.40 Rangoon, seres at all to see the feet 6.00 a 6.50 18 878 Aldnekone. 28th Avenst 1869 24 . & 36 . 81bc. THE Undersigned having been appointed Drud Sporred Sminings, Agent for the above Company at this English steam, DYED BEOCADE Do. port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, Amorican Anthracite, DYED DIRECT DO. per place 6.20 a 6.30 12.65 a to the extend of £10,000, on Buildings or on THE OUTEN INSURANCE COMPANY. WINDOW GLASS Per box. 8.00 a 4.00 HANDENBOHLAND, Blue...... per dow. 0.85 a 0.70 Goods stored therein." TRAITS PRODUCE, &c., Browning THE following rates will be charged in future EDWARD NORTON & Co. MATTANE, Straits..... per pel. 6.00 a 6.20 for SHORT PERIOD Insurances. viz:tr 241 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. VELVETE, Black, 92 inst per yard 0,22 a . 0.33 Banjar Not exceeding 10 days, tof the annual rate. PEPPER White THE GLOBE MARINE INSURANCE Gentian, 22 Vie Territories 15.30 a 15.00 Hlack,.... VELVETERE, Black, and the state of the state COMPANY, LIMITED, LONDON. BETHL NUT. 3.25 a 4.00 WOOLLEN GOODS. SANDAR WOOD Malabar...... 4.80 a 4.40 South Seas, 7.00 a 18.50 THE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE IN-SPANISH STRIPTED, Service in the por yard 0.83 a 0.83 Long Bill, MM Scarlet, per piece 2.60 a 9.70 1.70 a 2.00 SAPAN WOOD, Manila, BURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA. Assorted Prous, California, per sack of 80 Ma..... 2.20 a 2.05 TH Boarlot, 1.60 a 1.69 EDWARD NORTON & Co., THE SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSU-..: Assorted American. per barrel of 200 lbs...... 9.10 a 9.20 Agents the Queen Insurance Company RANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. WHEAT, Tiontem per pel. 1.80 a 1.95 OAKERTS, SSS ti 242 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. California 19.00 # 19.50 SUCAR, Canton white, 1 a 8 6.75 a 7.20 THE Attention of Shippers is called to the Brage wen ent sie unt abn ann bes IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY BBB 3.60 a . B.60 Dk. Brown, L low rates of Pramiums charged by the West Coast, Dk. frawa, REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM: 8,20 a 9,30 undersigned Agenta of above named Companies, INTIL further across the following Annual Manila Dev White, 4.20 a 4.60 METALS. Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance for all stenmer risks, subject to a brokerage of 700 a 8.00 How. Nail Rod Nos. La C. per picul 4.10 a 4.20 15.00 a 15.50 CAYPHOR, packed lb per cent. 6.50 a 6.76 Pals, White, Hoopparagere ereiter production see see ier 240 a 246 The "Costerling," us well as the "Globe," 4.05 a 4.10 2.10 a 2.28 after paying the Shareholders a dividend of 10 ing Honses removed from town. } a por cent. 9.80 a 10.60 1.70 a 1.75 Black, per cent. on their paid up Capital, distribute 25 2.03 a 2.10 per cent. of the surplus of the profits pro rata STERL, English, per tub. 4.40 a 4.50 Mosescous, 55,00 a 65.00 Swedish

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